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VALIANT EFFORT - Juliana Tracey (left) and the Quincy Presidents battled but bowed to Faith Roy (right) and King Philip Regional High School 63-52 in the first round of the Div. 1 South Sectionals on the road Monday. Tracey scored a team-high 18 points. The Presidents finished their season with a 14-9 record (9-6 in the Patriot League). The tournament road also ended Monday night for the QHS boys varsity basketball team as the Presidents fell to Catholic Memorial in overtime. More tournament

Keenan Seeks Flavored Cigarette Ban

By SCOTT JACKSON

With the number of middle and high school students vaping on the rise, Sen. John Keenan has proposed a statewide ban on the sale of flavored cigarettes and restricting the sale of other flavored tobacco products to smoking bars.

Keenan, a Quincy Democrat, introduced a bill that would do just that earlier this year. Rep. Danielle Gregoire, a Marlborough Democrat, introduced the same legislation in the House of Representatives.

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City Awarded \$225,000 For Seawall Design

By SCOTT JACKSON

City councillors - on Monday night approved a \$56,250 appropriation to pay part of the cost of designing a new seawall in Houghs Neck along Quincy

The appropriation Mon-

day provides the local match for a \$225,000 state grant Quincy was awarded for the project.

City officials are aiming to replace the seawall between Adams Shore and Houghs Neck in two phases.

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day pressed MBTA officials to consider additional measures to mitigate the impact of the removal of half the and the ongoing renovation project at Wollaston station.

Councillors suggested the T establish a shuttle ser- a discount parking rates at

parking spaces at the North vice between North Quincy Quincy Adams. City councillors on Mon- Quincy Red Line station and Squantum Point Park, increase service on a bus line that runs from Quincy Center to Squantum, and

the transit agency and the state Department of Transportation appeared before a meeting of the City Coun- councillors, spent nearly

the two state agencies were in attendance. The committee, which includes all nine

cil's oversight committee on two-and-a-half hours dis-Monday; 15 officials from cussing the MBTA projects during Monday's meeting.

The T is in the midst of investing more \$1.3 billion

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Ayers: MBTA Commuters Deserve More Reliable Options

By BRUCE AYERS **State Representative**

The MBTA recently held a public meeting to unveil plans for the construction project at the North Quincy Station, which begins this week.

After attending this meeting and hearing from concerned residents, one thing is clear: the MBTA has not done enough to provide sensible mitigation options for commuters. Fortunately for the MBTA, the answer is

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right in front of their eyes they must take this opportunity to invest in a ferry service from Squantum Point

Other Red Line stations in Quincy are under major construction, with Wollaston shut down until at least the fall. Now, with the North Quincy project, 600 much-

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THE RECENTLY UPDATED parking lot at Squantum Point Park could provide some parking relief if the MBTA were to imple-Photo Courtesy State Rep. Bruce Ayers ment a shuttle to and from North Quincy Station, says state Rep. Bruce Ayers.

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Sen. Keenan Encourages Commuters' Feedback

Wants To Hear From MBTA Riders With Their Concerns

By SCOTT JACKSON

Sen. John Keenan encouraged commuters who encounter problems amid ongoing work at the five Red Line stations in Quincy and Braintree to reach out to his office with their concerns.

Construction of a new garage at the North Quincy station - the first part of a mixed-use development there - began last week. The MBTA closed 600 parking spaces in the parking lot on the Hancock Street side of the facility to make way for the new garage; 600 spaces remain open at the station, including ones on Newport Avenue.

Wollaston station has been closed since January 2018 and is set to re-open this August. T officials have said more than 400 spaces are available at Wollaston and have encouraged riders to park there and ride a free

shuttle bus to Quincy Center a transit-oriented developor North Quincy while the North Quincy garage is be-

The T is also renovating the garages at Quincy Adams and Braintree stations, and is wrapping up the demolition of the Quincy Center garage. The transit agency is also in the process of procuring an entire new fleet of Red Line cars and installing new signals, which will allow trains to run on a more frequent basis.

Keenan said the South Shore would have a brand new Red Line once all the work, which totals \$911 million, is complete.

"We'll have all-new signalization on the Red Line. A brand-new fleet of Red Line cars that will be able to operate to the full extent of that signalization," Keenan said in a recent interview. "We will have a new parking garage at North Quincy,

ment at North Quincy, a completely reconstructed Wollaston station that won't be subject to flooding and will be ADA-compliant and that will be a state-of-theart station from a security standpoint.

"The Quincy Center garage has been taken down after many years of discussion. That makes that site ready for development, which should occur presumably after the North Quincy one. But even if occurs while North Quincy is going on, because there is no parking there now, parking is not an issue. And we will have 40 years of life added on to the garages at Quincy Adams and Braintree, so that we don't have a repeat of what happened at Quincy

"It will be a brand-new Red Line, so we should do everything we can to make

that happen as quickly as possible while minimizing as best as possible the disruptions the commuters have to face, and that has been the challenge."

Keenan said residents should reach out to his office with their concerns about the MBTA, a position he expressed during a Feb. 6 community meeting on the North Quincy project.

"We have played the role of pushing the MBTA to listen to the riders' issues, listen to the people of Quincy's issues, and to be more responsive. We've built a good relationship with them and, as I said at the public hearing, we push, they'll sometimes push back, and there is still progress being made on it," Keenan said.

Residents can contact his office by phone at 617-722-1494 or by email at john. keenan@masenate.gov.

Some residents at the meeting on the North Quincy project criticized the T's decision to start that work now; they suggested the project should wait until Wollaston re-opens.

Keenan said the T wanted to start the 18-month garage project now because delaying it to the summer would

mean the construction. would take place during two full winters – instead of the rest of this winter, which has been mild, and next winter.

"The MBTA wants to be able to get this project done knowing this winter is essentially, hopefully done, but disruptions will be pretty much minimal from this point on to get it done over 18 months where you only have exposure to one winter," Keenan said.

Funding, he added, is available for all these projects now and should be taken advantage of.

"My position has been we've got \$911 million being invested in the Red Line right now," Keenan said. "That's not to say that money would disappear if the North Quincy project is delayed, but the funding is there, so let's move these projects as best we can and bring a much better, much improved, modern Red Line to the South Shore as soon as we can."

He noted the North Quincy project has been in the pipeline for several years. The MBTA Fiscal and Management Control Board awarded the developers - Atlantic Development and Bozzuto Development rights to the project in April

2016. The City Council approved new zoning rules for the station in November of that year and voted the next month allow the T to enter into a lease for the air rights at the site. The Quincy Planning Board began reviewing the project in January 2017 and gave its approval that

Keenan said parking has been the chief concern for his constituents relative to the North Quincy project. The T, he said, is confident enough commuters will begin parking at Wollaston station - where parking rates have been cut from \$5 to \$2 until the station re-opens - that additional mitigation measures won't be needed.

"They believe there should be enough parking because Wollaston station, up until this week, might have had 15 to 20 cars parking there," Keenan said of the MBTA. "They think those people who used to drive to Wollaston station to get on the train there and head into Boston, when the station closed started driving to North Quincy where there was excess parking capacity there, and when that capacity is now limited, those who made that switch will go back to Wollaston.

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CITY OF QUINCY Principal Planners, Elizabeth Manning (left) and Melissa Horr Pond (right) with Congressman Lynch at his Washington, DC Office.

Photo Courtesy Office of Cong. Stephen Lynch

Quincy Planners Meet With Congressman Lynch City of Quincy Principal shutdown impacts dis-

Planners Melissa Horr Pond and Elizabeth Manning took part in the National Community Development Association (NCDA) Legislative, Policy and Professional Development Conference held recently in Washington, D.C.

During the conference, Congressman Stephen Lynch's office hosted an opportunity for Massachusetts planners to discuss local and homelessness assistance

Among the number of financial support to an ad-

cussed, some included the squeeze on food banks and other public services, as well as the vulnerability of those who receive federal vouchers to pay rent for housing and the potential for evictions which would increase homelessness.

For Fiscal Year 2018, Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funding served more than 65,000 beneficiaries in Quincy with impacts on the partial fed- \$2.8 million, and "HOME" eral government shutdown, funding created 10 new afwhich lasted for 35 days, fordable housing units with from Dec. 22 - Jan. 25. just over \$550,000. Some of The discussion with Cong. the programs and projects Lynch included impacts on funded included scholarcommunity development ship programs for childcare and camp programs, youth activities, food banks, and

diction treatment facility in Wollaston.

Also at the conference, Melissa Horr Pond presented a plenary session about effective strategies for National Community Development Week -- a campaign to promote the effectiveness and success of CDBG and HOME, which are both funding sources from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

NCDA connects and equips community development professionals from across the country who administer CDBG and other HUD programs. The sold out conference was the largest Winter Meeting the organization has had in its 50year history.

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6:00am: LIVE: AM Quincy with Joe Catalano 7:30pm: Quincy in Focus

Wednesday, March 6 6:00pm: Good News

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7:00pm: City Council/Oversight 2/15

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School Committee Honors Project 351 Ambassadors

By TOM GORMAN

Sterling Middle School grade 8 student Collincia Agyapomaa had a heartfelt experience while volunteering at Boston's Cradles to Crayons, packing donated clothes for disadvantaged children.

"I saw how some kids didn't have what I have," she said. "They didn't have clothes and things like I have. I felt very good packing things to help them."

Collincia was one of five middle school students who represented Quincy as ambassadors at the annual Project 351 Launch Day ceremony on Jan. 19. The students were recently honored by the school committee for their participation in the statewide program.

The other students were: Abigail Coughlin, Atlantic Middle School; Mallory Rimovitz, Broad Meadows Middle School; Madeline Baryza, Central Middle School; and Isabella Carin-

ci, Point Webster Middle School. They were selected to serve as ambassadors by their teachers.

Broad Meadows Middle School Principal Dan Gilbert said that an eighthgrade student from each of the city's middle schools was chosen to serve as ambassadors. The students joined their state counterparts during a kickoff ceremony at Faneuil Hall and then fanned out to perform community service projects at various sites in Boston.

Gilbert explained that Project 351 was started in 2011 by then Gov. Deval Patrick as a way for middle school students to develop leadership and community service skills.

"For the past nine years, at least one representative from every one of the 351 towns in the Commonwealth sent an ambassador to learn those skills," Gilbert said.

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BROAD MEADOWS Middle School Principal Dan Gilbert joins the school committee in honoring students who served as Quincy's Project 351 ambassadors, Collincia Agyapomaa, Sterling Middle School; Isabella Carinci, Point Webster Middle School; Mallory Rimovitz, Broad Meadows Middle School; Abigail Coughlin, Atlantic Middle School; and Madeline Baryza, Central Middle School.

Knights Of Columbus Meat Raffle Friday

The monthly Knights of Columbus meat raffle will be held Friday, March 1 at the council hall located at 5 Hollis Ave. in North Quincy.

The raffle is being sponsored by the District Attorney Michael Morrissey in conjunction with the Culinary Arts Program at Ouin-

cy High School who will be providing the food.

The food is served at 6:30 p.m. and the raffle

The raffle is part of the Knights of Columbus annual scholarship drive. All are welcomed.

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Olivia McEvoy On Dean's List

Olivia McEvoy of Quin- mester at Fairfield Univercy has been named to the Dean's List for the fall se-

sity in Fairfield, CT.

Tax Time - And Tax-Related ID Theft

By LT. DAN MINTON **Quincy Police Crime Prevention**

An identity thief may attempt to use your Social Security number (SSN) to get a tax refund or a job. This is tax-related identity theft. You may not know it has happened until the IRS sends you a letter by mail saying they have received a suspicious tax return that uses your SSN, or you try to efile your return but it's rejected as a duplicate because a return already has been filed using your SSN.

If the IRS sends you a letter, follow the instructions in the letter, followed by a visit to IdentityTheft.gov to report the identity theft to both the IRS and the FTC and get a recovery plan.

Here's what happens: If someone uses your SSN to file for a tax refund before you do, IRS records will show that someone else has already filed and gotten a refund. If you file by mail, the IRS will send you a notice or letter in the mail saying that more than one return was filed for you. If you try to efile, the IRS will reject your tax return as a du-

If someone uses your SSN to get a job, the employer may report that person's income to the IRS using your SSN. When you file your tax return, you wouldn't have included those earnings. IRS records will show you failed to report all your income. The agency will send you a notice saying you had wages that you didn't report. The IRS doesn't know those wages were reported by an employer you don't know, for work performed by someone else.

IRS notices about tax-related identity theft are sent by mail. The IRS doesn't:

· Initiate contact with a taxpayer by sending an email,

text, or social media message that asks for personal or financial information.

• The IRS also does not call taxpayers with threats of lawsuits or arrests.

• The IRS will never ask you to wire money, pay with a gift card or prepaid debit card, or share your credit card information over the phone.

If you get an email, text, or other electronic message that claims to be from the IRS, do not reply or click on any links. Instead, forward it to phishing@irs.gov. and report IRS imposters to the US Treasury Inspector General for Tax Administration at tigta.gov.

Dealing With Tax-Related Identity Theft

If the IRS sends you a notice or letter saying that someone used your SSN to get a tax refund, or saying there's another problem, respond quickly and follow the instructions in the letter. Call the IRS using the telephone number given in the letter. You'll need the letter and a copy of your prior year's tax return when you call to help verify your identity. Visit the IRS's guide, IRS Identity Theft Victim Assistance: How It Works, for more information.

If you think someone used your SSN to file for a tax refund, but you have not received a letter from the IRS, use IdentityTheft.gov to report it to the IRS and FTC and get a recovery plan.

Visit IdentityTheft.gov to complete an IRS Identity Theft Affidavit (IRS Form 14039) and submit it to the IRS online so that the IRS can begin resolving your case. You'll also be reporting the identity theft to the FTC. File your tax return, and pay any taxes you owe. If you can't efile your tax return, you may need to mail a paper return.

Keenan Seeks Flavored Cigarette Ban

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If approved, Keenan's bill will ban the sale of flavored cigarettes by any retailer or individual in the chewing tobacco, pipe to- products or other medical

bacco, snuff, and electronic cigarettes, cigars, and hookah, regardless of nicotine content - would be restricted to licensed smoking bars. state. The sale of other fla- Products approved by the vored tobacco products - in- Food and Drug Administracluding cigars, little cigars, tion as tobacco-cessation

uses would be exempt from the new rule.

Keenan said he sought a similar ban last year when lawmakers approved raising the age to purchase all tobacco products, including those used for vaping, from 18 to 21. His new bill to that effect was introduced in January at the start of the new legislative term.

In a recent interview, Keenan cited increased rates of vaping among teenagers for proposing the restriction on flavored tobacco products. The FDA in 2018 found the number of high school students using ecigarettes - defined by use on at least one day in the past 30 days - increased 78 percent, from 11.7 to 20.8 percent, between 2017 and 2018. The number of middle schoolers using e-cigarettes rose by 48 percent over the same period to 4.9 percent of all middle school stu-

"The significant rise in e-cigarette use among both student populations has resulted in overall tobacco product use increases of 38 percent among high school students and 29 percent among middle school students between 2017 and 2018," the FDA said.

Keenan said those numbers-show something more needs to be done to stop ecigarette use among teens.

"I made a decision, given what I'm hearing and given what the state show, that we've got to do something. about it," Keenan said.

"It's the tobacco playbook - the cigarette playbook - all over. I firmly believe they are targeting

young people. When you look at 78 percent increase in high school students using vaping products and 48 percent in middle school students - which is a million and a half young people per year - using tobacco products, everything that the federal, state and local governments have worked on relative to getting tobacco use among young people to decline, it's just gone."

"That was a huge success," Keenan said of previous anti-tobacco efforts. "Tobacco rates were declining pretty dramatically the last 15, 20 years, and then all of a sudden along comes vaping; children having the perception that it's not dan-

"The manufacturers play this cute game of saying it can be used to help people that are smoking, and yet they chose not to be regulated as a smoking-cessation

"They are out there. They've got these products they're advertising hugely on social media - the flavored tobacco products. Kids are using them. Those are the stats. And anecdotally I hear from my son and his friends that it's everywhere. Kids are using these products.

"It's highly addictive more addictive than cigarettes depending on the nicotine product you put in your vape cartridge."

Even after increasing the legal age to purchase tobacco products to 21, Keenan said he expects teens would still be able to acquire ecigarettes and flavor pods through straw buyers.

"My expectation is that kids will find older siblings and friends to purchase the devices and the tobacco products for them, and the use will continue to rise," he said.

There is a perception out there that e-cigarettes are safer than traditional cigarettes, Keenan added, though that has not been

"They don't it's dangerous," he said. "They're not smoking they're vaping - and their perception is it's not dangerous to draw vape into your lungs. It doesn't smell like tobacco. It doesn't taste like tobacco. It's fruity flavored. Nobody seems to be incredibly upset about it. They can hide it more easily...than if they were smoking a cigarette. The use has just gone

through the roof. "And for a long time parents didn't even know what was going on. When I was a kid, your parents could tell you were smoking because they could smell it."

The ban on flavored cigarettes would apply to mentholated ones as well, Keenan said. He said people - children and adults - can perceive menthol cigarettes as healthy because menthol is used in products, such as cough drops and ointments, that treat respiratory ailments.

"A lot of people view menthol as a favored flavor, particularly among adults, and children view menthol as something that is healthy. When you have a cough, you take a menthol cough drop. They don't view it as dangerous and they find it

enticing," Keenan said.

"I knew somebody who smoked who had asthma. This was years ago. I said why do you smoke? 'Well, it's menthol.' People still have that perception because it's in cough drops."

Keenan said he would work with Gregoire, the House member who filed similar legislation, to get the bill passed. Keenan believes there is support for the measure on Beacon Hill and said he would work to ensure it is a top priority for lawmak-

"I think if you asked most [legislators] they would probably say yes, it should be banned," he said. "When push comes to shove and this makes its way through the legislative process, will it be a priority is the question. We're going to work hard to make it a priority.

In addition, Keenan plans to work with students to get the bill passed. He noted Sarah Ryan, a student from Holbrook, which he represents on Beacon Hill, spoke out against the increased use of e-cigarettes among students in a letter to The New York Times last month.

"We're going to bring a" lot of attention to it," Keenan said of his bill. "We're going to work with students. Holbrook, which is in my district, has been out front on this issue. A young woman down there named Sarah Ryan had an op-ed in The New York Times.

"So young people are interested in this issue, they see what's going on, so we're going to partner with them as well."



• On March 15, 44 BC, Julius Caesar, dictator of Rome, is stabbed to death in the Roman Senate house by 60 conspirators led by Brutus and Cassius, who believed that his death would lead to the restoration of the Roman Republic.

On March 16, 1751, James Madison, author of the Federalist Papers and fourth president of the United States, is born in Virginia. Madison is best remembered for his critical role in the Constitutional Convention of 1787, where he oversaw the drafting of the final Constitution.

 On March 17, 1776, British forces are forced to evacuate Boston following Gen. George Washington's successful placement of fortifications and cannons on Dorchester Heights. Realizing their position was now indefensible, 11,000 British troops sailed to the safety of Halifax, Nova Scotia.

· On March 14, 1919, Max Brand, perhaps the most prolific writer of Western stories, publishes his first novel, "The Untamed." Max Brand was one of 21 pen names used by author Frederick Faust. Unlike many Western authors, Faust made no pretense to historical accuracy in his works.

• On March 13, 1969, "The Love Bug," a movie about the adventures of a Volkswagen Beetle named Herbie, opens. in theaters. The Walt Disney film, based on the 1961 book "Car, Boy, Girl" by Gordon Buford, spawned four spinoffs.

• On March 12, 1972, the last remnants of the First Australian Task Force withdraw from Vietnam. The Australian government had first sent troops to Vietnam in 1964 and by 1969, their forces totaled an estimated 6,600 personnel.

• On March 11, 1990, Lithuania becomes the first Soviet republic to proclaim its independence from the USSR. The Soviet government responded by imposing an oil embargo and economic blockade against the Baltic republic, and later sent troops. Lithuania would gain its independence in September 1991.

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This Week 1950 69 Years Ago

Yesterdays

Hospital Director Says He Is **Not Resigning**

The Board of Managers at the Quincy Hospital wants to meet with City Manager William J. Deegan, Jr. to iron out differences between him and the director, according to a statement by Chairman August E. Settimelli.

Hospital Director Dr. Ensio K.F. Ronka said, "I haven't resigned and I have no intention of resigning."

According to Settimelli's statement, the board spent considerable time discussing Deegan's letter published last week, in which he said that he expected the hospital director to maintain the institution on an improved basis on funds provided by the city council.

Members of the board, in addition to the chairman include Mrs. Esther C. Boling, George W. Arbuckle, William J. Martin and J. Brooks Keyes.

FIREMAN SEEK RAISE TO POLICE LEVEL. POLICE ASK UNIFORM REIMBURSEMENT

Quincy firefighters asked for a \$200 raise to bring their pay on par with police salaries and police asked the city to buy their uniforms, during the finance session when the council considered the budgets of the two departments. Captain William Curtin represented the firefighters while Patrolman Kenneth Poulin spoke for the police.

Both Finance Committee Chairman Frank N. Orcutt and Mayor Thomas S. Burgin explained that it has been agreed upon to omit these requests from the budget and to give them serious consideration after the final budget figures had been worked out. At that time the Council will be in a better position to determine whether or not the requests of the two uniformed departments can be met, he said.

RUNAWAY FIRE TRUCK HALTED BY ALERT PAIR AT HOUGHS NECK BLAZE

An alert policeman and a bystander stopped a runaway fire truck as it rolled down a hill at a Houghs Neck fire, saving some 30 persons, most of them children, from injury. Patrolman James A.D. MacKay and James E. Cotter of 209 Winthrop St., Houghs Neck, leaped aboard and braked the rolling apparatus before it reached the onlookers who had gathered to watch firemen battle the blaze that routed six persons and an infant. The fire truck, Hose Two, attached to the Houghs Neck Station, slipped its brakes while parked on a steep, icy incline on Winthrop St., opposite 28 Parkhurst St., the home of Lloyd Dunn, 26, and the scene of the fire.

QUINCY-ISMS

The Quincy Visiting Nurses Association, a Red Feather Service, will start a new series of Mothers classes at its 1245 Hancock St. office. Five weekly lectures on the growth and care of a baby will be given by Mrs. Ruth Dobbie, asso ciation director... Mrs. Herbert A. Mann, president of the Quincy Woman's Club, cut the 45th anniversary cake while charter members Mrs. James H. Slade, Mrs. Charles Wilson and Miss Almira Simmons looked on... Former city assessor Larry Antonelli and Mrs. Antonelli welcomed a son, Larry Antonelli, Jr., born at Quincy City Hospital. The Antonellis reside at 40 Hughes St., South Quincy... Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Adams, 32 Calumet St., Wollaston, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary at a surprise party at their home. The Adamses have a daughter Claire, a son, Arthur L. Adams, Jr., and a grandson... Granite Chevrolet, 540 Southern Artery, was advertising "Top Quality Cars and Trucks At Bargainville Prices."... Pres Hobson, Patriot Ledger sports editor, reports that Quincy pitcher Dick Donovan is hoping to win a spot on the Boston Braves pitching rotation for the 1950 season... New Cub Pack 27 sponsored by the North Quincy Knights of Columbus held its first meeting under the leadership of John B. Newcomb. A large gathering of parents watched as 30 cubs were awarded their bobcat pins... The Finnish Temperance Society of West Quincy was planning a "Repair Fair." Laura Takki, Sr., was honorary chairman of the event which will seek to raise funds for the recently remodeling of the society hall... City Auditor Alexander Smith was honored by his former associates in the accounting department at the Fore River Shipyard prior to assuming his duties as Quincy city auditor.

Scenes From Yesterday Bird St., Looking West, Quincy, Mass.



THIS POST CARD of Bird Street in Houghs Neck was postmarked in 1930, but it was published in 1920 - almost 100 years ago. Taken from near what is today's Edgewater Drive, the view is towards Macy Street, which crosses about six houses down. At the time of this picture, most of the cottages in Houghs Neck were still summer residences. Most of those shown here have been somewhat altered over the years, some to gain a better advantage of their water views, but all are now year-round houses.

The one on the right has been replaced. The street looks pretty narrow here and this section of Bird Street was accepted by the city in 1934. What appears to be a street across the foreground is misleading. This is one of a series of black and white Houghs Neck picture postcards that were artistically altered by the publisher, Charles A. Litchfield who lived in Merrymount.

From the Postcard Collection of Tom Galvin

READERS FORUM

Family Of Christopher McCallum Overwhelmed By Community's Love, Support, Generosity, Kindness

On behalf of my husband, Chris McCallum our sons, Ryan, Michael and Christopher and the Mc-Callum and Doyle families, I would like to thank the many friends and residents of Quincy for your overwhelming love and support following our tragic loss in Squantum.

Four weeks ago Chris was taken from our family and no words can ever

capture the pain of our loss. The outpouring of support from Quincy where Chris and I grew up and first met has blown us away and is a tribute to how Chris lived his life and the impact he had on those fortunate enough to have met him. Chris would truly be humbled by the love and caring you have bestowed on our family and we will never be able to thank you all enough

for your unbelievable generosity and kindness!

The Quincy community has been like a warm blanket of comfort during this difficult time and we will be forever grateful! The article in the Feb. 21st edition of the Quincy Sun did such a great job of reflecting the type of person Chis was to all he had the opportunity to meet and we were touched by the words conveyed. We

remain optimistic that the State Police investigation will be able to bring some measure of justice for our loss and we pray that the person or persons responsible are held accountable for their actions. Please continue to share information to assist with the on-going investigation. Thank you all from the bottom of our

Kathy McCallum

Remembering Martin Luther King, Jr.

when I was state representative, Martin Luther King, Jr., spoke to the House of Representatives and after he spoke I went up and shook

I was very fortunate that his hand and had a nice congia, to see them play and memorial and while I was versation with him.

When the University of basketball Massachusetts team was in the playoffs, I travelled to Atlanta, Geor-

my daughter was living in Atlanta at the time and met me to attend the game. She asked if there was any place in Atlanta I would like to visit and I indicated I want-**Rabies Clinic April 6** ed to visit the Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial.

I did visit the wonderful

there I purchased two pictures: one of Martin Luther King, Jr. and one of Mahatma Ghandi, which both still hang in my law office to this

> George Burke Quincy

At Animal Shelter SUBSCRIPTION FORM

A rabies clinic sponsored by Emmerson Animal Hospital will be held Saturday, April 6 from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Quincy Animal Shelter, 56 Broad St., behind the George F. Bryan Post and Father Bill's Place.

The clinic will take place rain or shine.

Fee is \$10 for dogs and cats three months old or older. Cash only.

Pet owners are asked to bring a proof of rabies vaccination within the last year. FILL OUT THIS SUBSCRIPTION BLANK AND MAIL TO

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March Children's Events, Activities At Crane Library

By JULIE RINES Thomas Crane Public Library

The Thomas Crane Public Library announces the following events and activities for children during the month of March.

Dr. Seuss Birthday Extravaganza

It is Dr. Seuss' birthday and we are having a Cat in the Hat birthday bonanza on Saturday, March 2nd. Stop by the Main Library children's room from 10 a.m. to noon to meet the Cat in the Hat. Make Dr. Seuss themed crafts (while supplies last). Watch a Dr. Seuss movie, play pin the hat on the Cat or Dr. Seuss Tic Tac Toe and

Please note this special celebration is happening in place of our regularly scheduled Music and Movement with Rubi program which will take place on Saturday, March 16th.

Science Saturday - Flight With Paper Airplanes

This month we'll be exploring flight with paper airplanes on Saturday, March 9th at 10 a.m. Half of the room will be for building your planes and the other half will be for flight testing. We'll have plenty of ideas for different plane models and ways to change them, but then it's up to you to experiment! How far, how high, how fast can you make your plane go? Can you make it do tricks like loops and rolls? We'll even have a few planes already made so you can just experiment.

This program is suggested for families with children ages 3 and older. No registration is required.

Mike the Bubble Man

Who doesn't love bubbles? Join Mike the Bubble Man on Tuesday, March 12th at 2 p.m. when he brings magic and science to the stage with his interactive show about bubbles. Through music and comedy, Mike will explore the chemistry of bubbles through different shapes and sizes. Who knows you may even end up inside of one!

No registration required. Appropriate for ages 4 through 7 accompanied by a guardian.

Sponsored by the Quincy Braintree Family Network-CFCE program. Contact Joan at jrodeck@qcap.org for more information.

Parent Workshop Getting

Ready for Kindergarten You just registered your child for kindergarten and you may be wondering about the routines and curriculum. Join Quincy Public School teachers Lori Cahill and Jennifer Murphy on Tuesday, March 12th from 6:30 to 8 p.m. for a parent workshop where they will answer your questions and discuss ways to help your

child make a smooth transition to kindergarten.

No registration required. This program is for parents/ guardians only.

Sponsored by the Quincy Braintree Family Network-CFCE program. Contact Joan at jrodeck@qcap.org for more information.

Preschool Discovery @ Wollaston

Drop by the Wollaston Library with your preschooler, ages 3-5, any time between 10 and 11 a.m. on Thursday, March 14th to do some fun simple science together. Activities, experiments and instructions will be provided for science you can do with your child.

Learn about the human body this month. Hear a heartbeat, trace yourself, make a skeleton puzzle, get a good look at your fingerprints and measure your

Book Clubs for Kids

Do you like to read? Would you like to talk to others about books? Then you will like our book discussion groups. Join us each month to discuss all kinds of books

The Night Owls Book Club for children in grades 3 and 4 will meet on March 21st at 7:00 p.m. at the Main Library

This month we will be reading Zita the Spacegirl by Ben Hatke.

When her best friend is abducted by an alien doomsday cult, Zita leaps to the rescue and finds herself a stranger on a strange planet. Humanoid chickens and neurotic robots are shocking enough as new experiences go, but Zita is even more surprised to find herself taking on the role of intergalactic hero.

Pick up a copy of Zita the Spacegirl at the main library children's desk to read before our meeting.

The Phoenix Book Club for children in grades 5-8 meets on the second Tuesday of each month to discuss a variety of books. The Club will meet on March 12th at 7 p.m. at the Main Library.

This month we will be discussing Award Winners. Each year the American Library Association gives out many different awards to authors and illustrators. The most well-known children's literature awards are the Newbery and Caldecott medals, but those aren't the only ones. This month we'll be reading books that have won the Newbery, Caldecott, Coretta Scott King, Batchelder, Sibert, Schneider, and Belpré awards in the past several years. Pick an award winner and decide for yourself if you think it deserved to win.

Too busy to join us this month? Stop by the library anytime to find out what we'll be doing next and join

Chickadees Book Club for children in grades 1 and 2! This group works a little bit differently than our other book groups sort of a cross between book group and storytime. Registration is required and is limited to Quincy residents.

Registration begins at 9 a.m. on Monday, March 11th online at thomascranelibrary.org, by phone at 617-376-1300 ext. 4 or in person at the Main Library Children's Room.

Using short stories and early readers as our text we'll have fun with simple games and crafts while reinforcing key reading and discussion skills in this fun and interactive program. This five week program series will meet at 6:30 on Mondays, March 26, April 1, 8, 22 and 29.

Questions? Stop by or call the Children's Room at 617-376-1300 ext. 4 and ask for Mrs. Miller.

Music and Movement with Rubi

On Saturday, March 16th at 10 and 10:30 a.m. sing and dance with Rubi Lichauco! Rubi brings her popular preschool program to Quincy so put on your favorite dancing shoes and join us for this lively mix of music and movement for children ages 0-4 accompanied by an adult.

This program is presented as 2 half hour sessions to ensure that there is space for everyone to dance and move

NOTE: This is the third Saturday this month as we will celebrating Dr. Seuss' birthday on Saturday, March

Dungeons and Dragons Encounters

New and experienced players ages 10 to 15 are invited to join us on Tuesday, March 19th at 7 p.m. in the Main Library Children's Room for this introduction to D&D 5th edition game play. Take on the role of a fantasy hero in this monthly Dungeons and Dragons game.

We will help you customize an Adventurer's League D&D character you can use both in our monthly adventures and at other D&D Organized Play. If this is your first time joining the group please arrive early, about 6:45, to create your character so we'll be ready to playwhen everyone else arrives.

Your group of adventurers will start out at level one and take on the module from the 5th Edition D&D Starter Set. Unravel the mysteries of the Lost Mine of Phandelver and what monsters and treasures lie within!

Preschool Discovery @ **Adams Shore**

Drop by the Adams

preschooler, ages 3-5, any time between 3 and 4 p.m. on Thursday, March 21st to do some fun simple science together. Activities, experiments and instructions will be provided for science you

can do with your child. Learn about the human body this month. Hear a heartbeat, trace yourself, make a skeleton puzzle, get a good look at your fingerprints and measure your feet!

Join us for this new monthly science program at Adams Shore on the third Thursday of each month for science fun.

Saturday Storytime @ **North Quincy**

Join children's librarian Cathy de Veer and Quinn Z. Bear at the North Quincy Branch, on Saturday, March 23rd at 10 a.m. for a Pirate Storytime full of stories, songs and more.

This program is for children ages 2-5 accompanied by an adult. No registration required.

Preschool Discovery @ **North Quincy**

Drop by the North Quincy Library with your preschooler any time between 11 a.m. and noon on Saturday, March 23rd to do some fun simple science together. Activities, experiments and instructions will be provided for science you can do with your child.

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Parent Workshop with Jean Rogers - Practical **Solutions to Screen Time** Challenges

Screen time has become a way of life in today's world, not only for adults but for very young children. What does this mean for children's development? On Saturday, March 30th from 9:30-11:30 a.m. Jean Rogers, M.S.Ed. of Children's Screen Time Action

Shore Library with your Network will discuss how screen time influences children and ways to manage screen time demands with alternative activities. The focus of the workshop is on children ages 8 and under.

This program is for adults only. Registration required by contact Joan at jrodeck@ gcap.org. Attendees needing reasonable accommodates may make requests by Wednesday, March 20th.

Sponsored by the Quincy Braintree Family Network-CFCE program.

All programs sponsored and supported by the Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Library.

Spring 2019 Storytimes

Weekday morning storytimes begin again starting Friday, March 22nd. Storytimes are offered for children ages 4 months to 5 years old. Please check the following schedule for dates and locations. Many programs do not require registration. Advance registration for Mother Goose on the Loose and Toddler Times at the Main Library begins Monday, March 11th at 9 a.m. online at thomascranelibrary.org, by phone at 617-376-1300 ext. 4 or in person at the Main Library Children's Room.

Please note storytimes do not meet during April school vacation week or any time Quincy Public Schools are closed for inclement weather.

Main Library Storytimes Rock-a-Bye Babies (4-11 months) Tuesdays, @ 11 a.m. 3/26, 4/2, 4/9, 4/23,

Family Pajama Storytime (1-5 years) Wednesdays @ 6:30 p.m. 3/27, 4/3, 4/10, 4/24, 5/1

Mother Goose on the Loose (12-23 months) Tuesdays @ 9:30 a.m. 3/26, 4/2, 4/9, 4/23, 4/30 REGIS-TRATION REQUIRED

Mother Goose on the Loose (12-23 months) Thursdays, @ 11:00 a.m. 3/28, 4/4, 4/11, 4/25, 5/2

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Preschool Storytime (3 -5 years) Fridays @ 9:30 a.m. 3/22, 3/29, 4/5, 4/12, 4/26

BRANCH STORYTIMES

North Quincy Branch Preschool Storytime (3 -5 years) Mondays @ 10:00 a.m. 3/25, 4/1, 4/8, 4/22,

Adams Shore Branch Toddler Storytime (2-3 vears) Tuesdays @ 10:00 a.m. 3/26, 4/2, 4/9, 4/23,

Wollaston Junior Explorers Ages 3-5 Mondays @ 3:00 pm 3/25, 4/1, 4/8, 4/22, 4/29

REGISTRATION RE-QUIRED

Beginning Monday, March 11th register for the Junior Explorers online at thomascranelibrary.org, by phone at 617-376-1330 or in person at the Wollaston Branch Library 41 Beale St. Registration is required and limited to Quincy residents.

Dinosaurs: Roar with a T-Rex! Stomp with an Apatosaurus! Fly with a Pteranodon! Join us for five weeks of dinosaur stories and crafts.

Wollaston **Explorers** Ages 6-8 Wednesdays @ 3:00 p.m. 3/27, 4/3, 4/10, 4/24, 5/1 Medieval: Travel back in time to read about knights and royalty, make your own helmet and shield and face off with dragons. We'll be reading stories about medieval times and making crafts to help a medieval adventurer.

No registration is required for this program.

'Stained Glass Sky' Art Exhibit

During the month of March, Dedham artist Kira Seamon will display her paintings in the Wotiz Gallery at the Milton Public Li-

Pursuing her passion for visual art with a cell phone, Seamon transforms scenes of New England foliage into brilliant images of dazzling beauty. The award-winning ballet dancer turned photographer attaches a kaleidoscopic lens to her cell phone to "recombine pictures of branches, leaves and flowers into fascinating shapes and colors reminiscent of stained glass."

In Seamon's widely trav-

eling exhibit, "Stained Glass Sky," previously displayed at several other Massachusetts libraries, her 40 photos are like Rorschach ink blots that inflame viewers' imaginations. Seen through her kaleidoscopic lens, a winterberry bush seems ablaze with patterns of incandescent colors suggestive of Impressionist landscapes. In another, the branches and leaves of a Norway maple tree are duplicated in symmetrical patterns of vivid oranges and yellows. As photographed by Seamon, the buds and blades of a bearded iris are reflected in a symmetrical mosaic of

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delicate botanical anatomy. Seamon stressed her photos' radiant colors have not been enhanced or manipulated by computer. "Sunlight brings out beautiful colors people don't usually see," she said. "Mother Nature does the best Photoshop." With her striking photos, Seamon has brought that invention alive in new ways.

For more information, go to www.miltonlibrary.org or call Jean Hlady, Reference Department, at (617) 698-5757, x.3.

The Milton Public Library is located at 476 Canton Ave.

Robert Chambers Appointed Associate Vice President Berkelee College Of Music

Berklee College of Music has appointed Robert Chambers of Quincy as associate vice president of community and government relations.

In his new role, he will oversee the development and management of the institutional relationships, partnerships, and programs with community organizations; city, state and federal governmental affairs; and efforts that contribute to the cultural, educational, and artistic development of the Boston area.

Prior to Berklee, Chambers was the legislative director for the state's House Ways and Means committee where he served as the liaison to the 200 legislative members, as well as other administration offices. He was a pivotal member of the committee that crafted the state's \$42 billion budget for FY19.

"It's unlike any experience I have ever had," says the former political aide. Throughout the process we were guided by the Chairman's belief that "This budget meets people where they're at in their lives, and supports the most vulnerable amongst us." It was truly an honor to serve the Commonwealth in that capacity.

His previous positions include his role as chief of staff for the president of Cambridge College, and a two-year stint as vice president and Dean of Students at the School of the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston (SMFA). He also worked at the Massachusetts College of Art and Design (MassArt) for 17 years, where he had the opportunity to work in various positions within Student Affairs before transitioning to the president's



office as the Assistant to the President for Government and Community Affairs. During his tenure at MassArt, Chambers, with the leadership of the president, established the office of Government and Community Relations, which he led in its first six years.

Having held key leadership roles in higher education and politics over the years, he was fortunate to have crossed paths with several people who worked at Berklee and spoke highly of the institutional culture.

"Working around students, especially creative students who are so passionate and driven by what they do, I find very energizing. So, that was another factor in my decision to pursue this opportunity," says Chambers.

Chambers has been an active member and held leadership positions in several organizations, including the Boston Arts Academy Board of Trustees, the South Shore YMCA of Massachusetts, Mission Hill Neighborhood Housing Services Board, and the Fenway Alliance Board.

Chambers holds a bachelor's degree in general studies with an emphasis in psychology and business from Southeast Missouri State University.

Financial Planner, CPA Speaker March 3

Financial Planner and CPA Norman Berk will speak on "Getting Our Affairs in Order" at a special program of the Sisterhood of Congregation Beth Shalom of the Blue Hills on Sunday, March 3, at 2 p.m. This event is free and open to the public, with RSVPs requested, and refreshments will be served.

Berk has given numerous financial presentations during his more-than-30-year career, and has a solid understanding and knowledge of financial matters. He founded BCR Wealth Strategies, an investment and wealth management firm with offices in Boston, Alabama and New Jersey. He is also a Beth Shalom of the Blue Hills member.

His talk will include

questions such as "Have you taken the time to create a Living Will?" and "Have you provided the necessary information to someone who needs to know?" His goal is to help you make things clear and easy for your loved ones when it will be their responsibility to handle your affairs.

Congregation Beth Shalom of the Blue Hills is at 18 Shoolman Way (off Lodge Street) in Milton, and is handicapped accessible. There should be ample free parking, and no parking is allowed on Lodge or Maitland Streets. Excess parking is available on nearby Pleasant Street.

For more information, call 617-698-3394 or email office@BethShalomBlue-Hills.org.

Giselle Romero Office Manager At Peak PT

Peak Physical Therapy & Sports Performance, a South Shore practice specializing in comprehensive treatment in orthopedic, spine and sports medicine specialties, announces Giselle Romero of Quincy has joined the firm as office manager of the Quincy location.

In this role, Romero, who prior to joining Peak was a patient service representative at the Spaulding Outpatient Center, oversees the day-to-day operations of the Quincy location, 2300 Crown Colony Dr., Suite

A graduate of Fisher College with a Bachelor's degree Healthcare Management, Romero is originally from Framingham and now resides in Quincy; in her



GISELLE ROMERO

free time she enjoys travel, activities with friends and family and her pet cat and

"We're delighted to have Giselle join our team," said Eric Edelman, PT, owner of Peak Physical Therapy & Sports Performance, noting that Romero is bilingual. "Her attention to detail, client service skills and general commitment to excellence is more than evident."

Watercolors Demonstration At Art Association March 10

Tony Andrade will lead a watercolor demonstration entitled "Water, Water Everywhere" Sunday, March 20 from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Quincy Art Association, 24 High School Ave., Quincy.

Admission is free and open to the public.

Andrade has been painting in watercolors for many years and has taught at Quincy Art in the past and will be back teaching in the

near future. He often journeys into the abstract with watercolors and oils.

Andrade has won numerous awards over the years with his art and photography. He is a member of the Copley Society of Art in Boston.

Visit his updated website to see some what he has been up to over the years. The address is www. designfineart.com

Robert G. Noble Sr. **Scholarship Established**

The Robert G. Noble Sr. Scholarship award has been established by the American Legion Cyril P. Morrisette Post 294 in memory of this beloved community figure and longtime activist who made the City of Quincy

As an Ex-POW of World War II Mr. Noble served in the U.S. Army. He was a man of deep faith and lived a life of unwavering commitment to his family, friends and country.

Mr. Noble personified the duty and sacrifice of "The Greatest Generation" and has left a legacy of service

for generations to come.

Two \$500 scholarships will be awarded on an annual basis to residents of the City of Quincy. Scholarships will be awarded to qualified high school seniors, currently enrolled college students and students who have applied to or are attending a trade school who demonstrates a commitment to continuing their educa-

For further information and to receive an application contact Andrea White RGNoblescholarship@ gmail.com. Deadline for submission is April 13.

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Kirkin O'The Tartans **April 6 At First Presbyterian Church**

The Scots' Charitable Society invites the public to a Tartan Day Celebration with the Kirkin O' the Tartans Saturday, April 6 at 10 a.m. at First Presbyterian Church, 270 Franklin St., Quincy.

The event will feature the time-honored Scottish tradition of blessing the clans and tartans that make up this proud culture and heritage.

The Kirkin worship service will be followed by a buffet luncheon in the church fellowship hall.

For more information, call Scots' Charitable Society President Alan McCall at 857-919-1583.

Founded in 1657, The Scots' Charitable Society is the oldest charitable organization still existing in the Western Hemisphere. The society awards undergraduate scholarships to persons of Scottish descent and provides relief to individuals and Scottish families in

O'Donnell Speaker At **Rotary Club March 19**

Norfolk County Register of Deeds William P. O'Donnell will be the guest speaker at the Quincy Rotary Club meeting on Tuesday, March 19, at 12:15pm. The meeting will be held at the Quincy Neighborhood Club, 27 Glendale Rd., Quincy.

O'Donnell will discuss the historical nature of the Registry and his ongoing efforts to modernize and computerize the vast number of Norfolk County real estate records. He will also address the Massachusetts Homestead Act and following the presentation address any specific questions members may have.

As part of the Norfolk County Registry of Deeds community outreach initiative Register O'Donnell offers this program in his effort to provide information as to the functions and services the Registry of Deeds

provides to the residents and businesses of Norfolk County.

To learn more about these and other Registry of Deeds events and initiatives like us at facebook.com/ NorfolkDeeds or follow us on twitter.com/Norfolk-Deeds and instagram.com/ NorfolkDeeds.

The Norfolk County Registry of Deeds is located at 649 High St. in Dedham. The Registry is a resource for homeowners, title examiners, mortgage lenders, municipalities and others with a need for secure, accurate, accessible land record information.

All land record research information can be found on the Registry's website www. norfolkdeeds.org.

Residents in need of assistance can call the Registry of Deeds Customer Service Center at (781) 461-6101, or email registerodonnell@norfolkdeeds.org.



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WHAT'S COOKING

Marie & Susie



By MARIE D'OLIMPIO and SUSIE FALCO

Mac 'n' Cheese Extraordinaire

By MARIE

There must be dozens of ways to make macaroni and cheese - always a very popular favorite. I certainly have made my share and tried many variations of the recipe.

My neighbor Janet's macaroni and cheese recipe could win a prize for being so rich in texture and flavor. Sometimes when she makes it she sends me over a helping and it is always still bubbly even after I put it in the microwave.

So I asked her for her secret recipe to share with you and here it is - and now you know why this dish is so delicious.

Preheat oven to 350 degrees, lightly grease a baking dish

RECIPE

1 pound ziti or rigatoni (she used rigatoni)

½ pound Swiss cheese

½ provolone cheese (or whatever cheese that you like)

1 block of extra sharp cheese (6 or 8

½ pound sliced American cheese Grated Romano or parmesan for top salt and pepper to taste

Whole milk (as much as you need)

Directions: Cut all of the cheeses in small square pieces, and cook the pasta al dente. Drain past and put back in pot. Add all of the cut of cheese and mix well.

Place in a ceramic baking or glass dish and add salt, pepper and grated cheese over top. Then slowly pour milk over it until covered and you can just start to see it the milk coming to the top.

Add a single layer of American cheese on top cook until golden brown and top is bubbly about an hour.

Strawberry Chia Pudding

In a serving of chia seeds (about 2 tablespoons), you get about 12 grams of carbohydrates, 11 grams of fiber (which helps keep blood sugar at an even keel), 9 grams of healthy fat, and 4.5 grams protein. They also contain all nine amino acids in proper ratios and are a great alternative for vegetarians, since they are considered a complete

A serving contains 18 percent of the RDA for calcium (for healthy bones), 27% RDA for phosphorus (also important for bones, teeth as well as cellular structure) 30 % for manganese (also important for proper bone formation as well as skin integrity), as well as zinc (important for immune function and hormone balance) and copper (necessary for healthy skin, hair, and helps with the formation of hemoglobin).

They are rich in omega 3 fatty acids which are needed for various important functions, including but not limited to warding off cancers and arthritis, heart disease, and are imperative for brain health and even mood stabilization.

STRAWBERRY CHIA PUDDING

16 ounces fresh strawberries, hulled 1 1/2 cups (or one 13 1/2-ounce can) coconut milk

1/4 cup raw honey, or to taste



1 teaspoon vanilla 3/4 teaspoon finely grated lime zest 1/2 cup chia seeds

Place the strawberries, coconut milk, honey, vanilla, and lime zest in a blender and blend until smooth. Taste and add more honey if desired.

Place the chia seeds in a large bowl, pour the strawberry mixture on top, and whisk thoroughly. Let stand for 10 minutes and whisk again.

Cover and refrigerate for at least 4 hours and up to 3 days. Stir the pudding before serving. The longer it sits, the thicker the pudding will become; if you find that it is too thick, whisk in a little water (or coconut water, if you have some on hand).

5 Receive Academic Honors At FSU

Five students from Quin-honors at Framingham State cy have receive academic University for the fall se-

> **Christine Moynihan** Earns Master's Degree

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Christine Moynihan of and information studies bama in Tuscaloosa.

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Taylor Malott was placed on the President's List; Nolan Greene, President's List; Colleen Trenholm, President's List; Liana Cunningham, Dean's List; and Daniel Johnson-Tatelbaum, Dean's List.

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'The Only Woman In The Room' - By Marie Benedict

'The Fine Print' Book Review

By BETH VACCA

I love historical fiction. There is something about personal stories in the midst of an historical event that makes those events become more real to me. More alive. Learning the stories of people, either fictional or actual, living through a period of history somehow impresses upon me the gravity of the events that happened. To read the facts and data is one thing, to be able to live the event through the eyes of another is quite different.

Looking back to the history classes I sat through as a student I probably would have understood so much more of what took place if I had read this genre alongside my history books. To be able to see history through the eyes of people and not as just words on a page was a skill I did not possess in my youth.

"The Only Woman in the Room" by Marie Benedict is the story of the woman known to the world as Hedy Lemarr, Hollywood star.She was known for her beautifully symmetrical features, her raven hair and her green eyes. She knew how to work a room. The room however, no matter what room she as in, did not know her.

Born in Vienna, Austria she gave up her burgeoning acting career to marry a powerful and politically minded man whom she decided might be able to keep her family safe in the increasingly unstable climate as Hitler rose to power. As a trophy wife often kept in the room while deals were made and issues discussed it was assumed that all such discussions were beyond

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her reach. Beautiful young Hedy was just a pretty face.

As a society we have come a long way from where we were during Ms. Lamarr's time. In some areas, however, we haven't come all that far. Timely written as the recent "Me too" movement has brought new awareness to the gender differences that still plague our culture, The Only Woman In the Room, reminds us the struggle is not new.

This is one story of how an incredibly intelligent woman used her personal knowledge and intellect to solve a problem that needed solving. This is one story of how an incredibly intelligent woman's ideas were dismissed because she was a woman. This is the story

of the woman who patented an invention that became the foundation of a device most of us couldn't live without the modern cell phone.

I love to read. This book, however, may have just inspired me to go and watch a few old movies. I want to see Ms. Lamarr in action. This book has also caused me to wish for many things. I wish my niece's wax museum project was this year instead of last year.

I wish that Ms. Lamarr was still with us so that she could tour our schools and speak of her life to our next generations of young men and women. And I wish this book would become required reading in our schools. Don't forget to read The Fine Print.

22 Quincy Students On **MCPHS University Dean's List**

students Twenty-two from Quincy have been named to the Dean's List for the fall semester at MCPHS University.

They are:

Ahod Aiaid Albylwi, pursuing a bachelor of science in radiography; Kyle Franz Louise Enano, bachelor of science in nursing; Emily Gilmartin, bachelor of science in nuclear medicine technology; Quan Ho, pursuing a doctor of pharmacy: Manching Lam, doctor of pharmacy; Katherine Le, pursuing a bachelor of science in premedical and health studies; Nancy Mbaye, bachelor of science in premedical and health studies; Jiancheng Mo, pursuing a doctor of pharmacy.

Also, Brenna Murphy, pursuing a bachelor of science in health sciences; Cindy Nguyen, pursuing a bachelor of science in diagnostic medical sonography; Thoma Qafko, doctor of pharmacy; Cherylanne Quigley, pursuing a bachelor of science in nursing;

Soniya Rana, doctor of pharmacy; Jingyi Zhao, pursuing a doctor of pharmacy; Cai Li, bachelor of science in nuclear medicine technol-

Mollykate Cannon, pursuing a bachelor of science in dental hygiene; Esterina Elqeni, bachelor of science in premedical and health studies; Yim Hui, pursuing a bachelor of science in nursing; Amy Thompson, pursuing a bachelor of science in nursing; Jasper Tan, bachelor of science in premedical and health studies; Michael Truong, doctor of pharmacy; and Zoe Ye, pursuing a bachelor of science in health care management.

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Brandon Beal On Dean's List

Brandon Charles Beal of Quincy has been named to

the Dean's List for the fall semester at Norwich University in Northfield, VT.

Skin Infection Cellulitis Can Be Serious

A Message From Ruth Jones, Director Of Nursing, Quincy Health Dept.

By RUTH JONES BSN, RN, BC, CP-FS

Cellulitis is a common, potentially serious bacterial skin infection, where the affected skin appears swollen and red and is typically painful and warm to the touch. Cellulitis typically affects the skin on the lower legs, but it can occur on the face, arms and other areas and happens when a crack or break in your skin allows bacteria to enter. If left untreated, the infection can spread to your lymph nodes and bloodstream and quickly become life-threatening. It isn't usually spread from person to person.

Symptoms

Possible signs and symptoms of cellulitis, which usually occur on one side of the body, include:

- · Red area of skin that tends to expand or streak
 - · Swelling
 - Tenderness
 - Pain
 - Warmth
 - Fever
 - Red spots • Blisters
 - Skin dimpling
- · Leaking of yellow, clear fluid or pus

It's important to identify and treat cellulitis promptly because the condition can

spread rapidly throughout as where you've had reyour body.

See your doctor, preferably that day, if:

· You have a rash that's red, swollen, tender and warm and it's expanding, but you do not have a fever.

Go to the emergency room if you have any of the following:

- High fever or chills
- Nausea and vomiting
- Enlarging or hardening of the reddened area
- · You have a red, swollen, tender rash or a rash that's changing rapidly
 - Increased pain
- · Numbness of the area when touched
- · Other medical problems that may be affected by an infection.

Causes

Cellulitis transpires when bacteria, most commonly streptococcus and staphylococcus, enter through a crack or break in your skin. The incidence of a more severe staphylococcus infection called methicillin-resistant Staphylococcus aureus (MRSA) is on the rise.

Although cellulitis can occur anywhere on your body, the most common site is the lower leg. Bacteria are most likely to enter disrupted areas of skin, such

cent surgery, cuts, puncture wounds, an ulcer, athlete's foot or dermatitis. Bacteria can also enter through areas of dry, flaky or swollen skin. Additionally, animal bites can cause cellulitis.

Risk factors

Several issues can put you at increased risk for cellulitis:

- · Injury. Any cut, fracture, burn or scrape gives bacteria an entry point.
- Weakened immune system. Conditions that weaken your immune system such as, leukemia and HIV/AIDS render you more susceptible to infections. Certain medications also can weaken your immune system.
- · Skin conditions. Conditions such as eczema, athlete's foot and shingles can cause breaks in the skin, which give bacteria an entry point.
- · Chronic swelling of your arms or legs (lymphedema). This condition sometimes follows surgery.
- · History of cellulitis. Having had cellulitis before makes you prone to develop it again.
- · Obesity. Being overweight or obese increases your risk of developing cel-

- Trauma to the skin
- Diabetes
- · Circulatory problems, such as not enough blood flow to your arms and legs, poor drainage of your veins or lymphatic system, or varicose veins near the surface of the skin
- · Liver disease such as chronic hepatitis or cirrhosis
- Foreign objects in the
- · Bone infections underneath the skin.

Diagnosis of Cellulitis

Your healthcare provider will do a medical history and physical exam. Additional tests may include:

- · A blood test if the infection is suspected to have spread to your blood
- · An X-ray if there's a foreign object in the skin or the bone underneath is possibly infected
 - · A culture.
- **Treatment for Cellulitis** · Rest the area.
- Elevate the area to help reduce swelling and relieve discomfort.
- Use over-the-counter pain relievers such as acetaminophen or ibuprofen to ease the pain, as well as keep your fever down.
- · Your provider may prescribe antibiotics by mouth for a week to 14 days.

Your doctor may use IV or intramuscular antibiotics

- The infection is severe.
- You have other medical
- · You are very young or elderly.
- The cellulitis covers large areas, is on your hands, or in close proximity
- to body parts like your eyes. The infection worsens even after taking antibiotics

Surgery for Cellulitis

for 2 to 3 days.

Rarely, severe cases may need surgery to open and drain an abscess or pus that has collected in the tissue. It may also be necessary to cut away dead tissue to allow healing.

Complications

Recurrent occurrences of cellulitis may damage the lymphatic drainage system and cause chronic swelling of the affected limb. Rarely, the infection can disseminate into the deep layer of tissue called the fascial lining. Necrotizing fasciitis is an example of a deep-layer infection. It's considered an extreme emergency.

Prevention

If your cellulitis recurs, your doctor may recommend preventive antibiotics. To help prevent cellulitis and other infections, take these precautions when you have a skin wound:

- Wash your wound daily with soap and water. Do this gently as part of your normal bathing.
- Apply a protective cream or ointment. For most surface wounds, an overthe-counter antibiotic ointment may provide adequate protection.
- Cover your wound with a bandage. Change bandages at least daily.
 - · Watch for signs of in-

RUTH JONES

fection. Redness, pain and drainage are all indications of a possible infection and the need for medical evalu-

People with diabetes and those with poor circulation need to take extra precautions to prevent skin injury and infection.

Good skin care measures include the following:

- · Inspect your feet daily. Regularly check your feet for signs of injury so you can discover infections ear-
- Moisturize your skin regularly. Lubricating your skin helps prevent cracking and peeling. Do not apply moisturizer to open sores.
- · Trim your fingernails and toenails carefully. Take care not to injure or cut the surrounding skin.
- · Protect your hands and feet. Wear appropriate footwear and gloves.
- · Promptly treat infections on the skin's surface (superficial), such as athlete's foot. Superficial skin infections can easily spread from person to person. Don't wait to start treatment.

Outlook for Cellulitis

Most people with cellulitis respond to the antibiotics in 24-72 hours and will see a noticeable improvement. In rare cases, cellulitis can spread through the bloodstream and become lifethreatening.

Ruth Jones is the director of Nursing for the City of Quincy Health Department.

Winter Concerts At The Crane: Fanny Lora, Vocal Recital

The Thomas Crane Public Library, 40 Washington St., Quincy Center, welcomes everyone to free concerts every Sunday afternoon in March, starting at 3 p.m.

The first concert of the season on Sunday, March 3 presents mezzo-soprano Fanny Lora with piano accompaniment by Yukiko Oba. The title of this recital is Andaluz and it is dedicated to showcasing the music of Andalucia, Spain.

The recital is meant to be a window into the history of Andalucia, a territory that was held under Arab rule for nearly 800 years. During that time, the culture and the music of the southern states of Spain were infused with Arabian traditions. Join us in celebrating this beautiful music by Isidoro Fernández, Enrique Granados, and Ruperto Chapí.

The winter concert series is made possible by the support of the Friends of the Thomas Crane Public Lithe Manne

Future concerts are:

March 10: Jerome Mouffe (classical guitar)

March 17: The Golden Lane Trio (traditional Irish music)

Trio (acoustic African mu-

March 31: High Strung

March 24: Albino Mbie



FANNY LORA

Strummers (Appalachian string music)

More information about ch concert can be found online: http://thomascranelibrary.org/concerts.

Fanny Lora is a vibrant artist, singer, music educator, Alexander Technique teacher, and choral director. As a singer, she specializes in Spanish/Latino repertoire and her genuine interpretations successfully bring the repertoire to life for the audience.

Lora enjoys singing in private and public events, opera, and recitals. She was inspired to create Andaluz last spring when she visited Andalucía. Last season, Lora presented her first International Tour "En Cuerpo & Alma" at Brookline Library (Boston), and at the National Theater (Dominican Republic). Additionally, she has performed as a guest artist for the Massachusetts Immigrant & Refugee Advocacy Coalition (MIRA),



YUKIKO OBA

the Dominican Embassy in Washington D.C., the Massachusetts State House, an Excel Academy in Washington D.C. She has also performed with Odyssey Opera, MassOpera, and Greater Worcester Opera.

Lora has worked for the Metropolitan Opera Guild teaching music in Spanish at the Joseph Hurley School, for the Boston Children's Chorus as Teaching Fellow and Social Framework Liaison, and for Boston City Singers as Chorus Manager. In 2016, Fanny served as chair of MassOpera's Executive Board. She is a graduate of The Boston Conservatory at Berklee's Alexander Technique Training Program and holds Vocal Performance and Music Education degrees from

Ithaca College. TOTALLITE Yukiko Oba has performed extensively as an accompanist for recitals, choruses, master classes, and composers' projects. Oba is

a graduate of Kunitachi College of Music in Tokyo. She began playing piano at the age of six in her native Japan. She has been a member of the accompanying staff at Boston Conservatory at Berklee since 1996 and has performed with many acclaimed Boston area sing-

As a professional accompanist, Oba has participated in the MIT concert choir since the fall of 2016 aside conductor Dr. William Cutter, worked with the Worcester Schubertiad, and has been working with the Metropolitan Opera Guild for several years. Most recently, she performed Nico Muhly's pieces for countertenor with the Beth Morrison Project at the Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum.

Oba lives in Weymouth with her daughter and husband. In her leisure, she enjoys running, particularly marathons.

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'Our Body In The Garden' HN Topic March 6

Susan Guest, a movement educator, fitness coach and avid gardener, will make a presentation at the Houghs Neck Garden Club on Wednesday, March 6th with a presentation on "Our Body in the Garden."

The meeting will be held in the MWRA Community Room at Nut Island, second floor, 149 Sea St., starting at 7 p.m. with refreshments and a brief business meeting followed by the program at 7:30 p.m.

Other programs over the next few months include the following:

Thursday, April 18,
 6:45 p.m. – Annual meeting of the three Quincy garden clubs, hosted by Wollaston Garden Club at the Wollas-

ton Congregational Church. Speaker is C.L. Fornari on "Myths, Lies, and the Latest Dirt."

• May 1 – ""Practical Gardening" with Todd Breitenstein.

• June 5 – Annual plant auction at the Thomas Aquinas Hall.

• July 10 – A showing of the movie "SEED."

The Houghs Neck Garden Club will again be granting scholarship awards to high school seniors, with an application deadline of April 15th, 2019. Guidelines appear below.

The Club is a member of the Garden Club Federation of Massachusetts and National Garden Clubs, Inc.

HN Garden Club Student Award Guidelines

The Houghs Neck Garden Club (HNGC) is granting awards to graduating high school seniors who have been residents of Quincy for the last two years and who have been accepted to a school of higher learning.

Additionally, applicants must plan to concentrate

in one of the following the fields: conservation, horticulture, botany, oceanography, forestry, city planning, landscape design, land management, environmental studies, or an allied field.

Applications are available from local high school counselors or by contacting a member of the HNGC. Completed, signed applications must be delivered to Carol Johnston, 46 Bay View Ave., Quincy, MA, 02169. Deadline for submitting applications is April 15th.

Upon timely receipt of completed applications,

accompanied by a written statement of each student's educational goals (students should not write their names on the essay page), the HNGC Student Awards Committee will review and consider materials. Student(s) granted an award will be notified by phone or mail by April 28th.

Quincy's Historic Heritage Topic Thursday

Public Historian Bob Damon will present an interactive presentation about Quincy's Historic Heritage Thursday, Feb. 28 at 7 p.m. at the Adams Academy.

This program will consider the question of what is historic heritage and discuss the number and range of heritage sites in Quincy. It will also give the audience the opportunity to explore distinct features of the Adams Academy, one of Quincy's most intriguing and

architecturally significant buildings.

Damon, an independent public historian, is director of the History and Visitor Program at United First Parish Church. He has also served as visitor program director at Boston's Old North Church and as executive director of the Wellesley Historical Society.

The Quincy History and Heritage Roadshow is a community education and outreach effort of the Quincy 400 initiative, sponsored by the Office of the Quincy Mayor Tom Koch.

Everyone is welcome. There is no admission charge.

Free Estate Planning Lunch At Bank Of Canton March 13

The Bank of Canton will host a free estate planning lunchtime seminar Wednesday, March 13 from noon to 1 p.m. at the bank's branch located at 60 McGrath Highway, Quincy.

Learn how to preserve your independence and protect your assets from risk and uncertainty, with an estate plan. Presenters will be Matthew J. Marcus, Esq., and Peter J. Fredericksen of B.O.C. Life Solutions, a licensed subsidiary of Bank of Canton.

The event is open to the public and lunch will be provided to those who RSVP. Call 781-830-6152

Quincy High School College Planning Night

Quincy High School Guidance Department will host a College Planning Night for juniors and their families Thursday, March 7 from 6:30 to 8 p.m. in the QHS Lloyd Hill Auditorium.

The night is an opportunity for 11th grade students and their families to learn

about the college application process. A panel of college admissions representatives will give their expert advice on tackling this pro-

Sophomores and freshmen and their families are also welcome to attend.

Three On Regis College Dean's List

Three students from Quincy are on the Dean's List for the fall semester at Regis College in Weston.

They are: Kara Carchedi, class of 2020; Egista Gjini, class of 2019; and Alexander Bui, class of 2021.

Social Security Matters

Spousal Benefits And Enrolling In Medicare

By RUSSELL GLOOR

AMAC Certified Social Security Advisor Association Of Mature American Citizens

Dear Rusty: I will be 65 in March. Husband will be 61 in August. If I started collecting Social Security now would I only be able to collect on myself? My husband plans on collecting at 62. Will I be able to collect some of his when he starts collecting at age 62? Also, who can advise me about Medicare? Do I have to apply now? Signed: Needing Advice

Dear Needing: Yes, if you start your Social Security benefits now, you can only collect your own benefits - you cannot collect a spousal benefit until your husband starts collecting his benefits. Whether you will get a spousal benefit from your husband's record depends upon whether your own benefit at your full retirement age of 66 is less than ½ of your husband's benefit at his full retirement age (or "FRA").

If your husband will be 61 in 2019 his full retirement age for Social Security purposes is 66 and 8 months and if he starts his benefit at age 62 it will be 28.3% less than it would be at his full retirement age. If you start your benefit at age 65, it will be reduced by 6.7% from what you would get at your FRA of 66. Your spousal benefit will be based upon both of your FRA benefit amounts and, if your husband claims his benefit in August 2020 when he is 62, you will have already reached your FRA. So, if 50% of your husband's FRA benefit amount is more than your FRA benefit amount you'll get a spousal boost. But since you are taking your own benefit one year earlier than your FRA, the spousal boost will be added to your own reduced benefit amount, which means your total spousal benefit will be slightly less than half of your husband's FRA benefit amount. To summarize: you can't get a spousal benefit until your husband starts collecting his; you will only get a spousal benefit if 50% of your husband's benefit at his FRA is more than your FRA benefit amount; and your spousal benefit amount will be slightly less if you claim your own benefit one year earlier than your FRA.

Regarding Medicare, whether you need to apply now depends on your current health insurance. If you have "creditable health insurance" coverage through an employer (either your own employer or your husband's) which will continue after you are 65, you do not need to enroll in Part B or Part D at this time. You should check with the employer's Human Resource department to make sure their coverage will remain first payer now that you are Medicare eligible. If you do not now have creditable coverage you need to enroll in Medicare now. You are still in your initial enrollment period, which begins three months before the month you turn 65 and ends three months after the month you are 65. If you do not apply within this time frame and you don't have other creditable coverage you will be subject to a 10% Part B penalty (that never goes away) for each year you delay. If you apply now for your Social Security benefits to start in March, you'll be automatically enrolled in Medicare Part A (hospitalization) and Part B, but you can choose to opt out of Part B (doctors and outpatient services) as part of the application process. However, if you change your mind and decide to wait to claim your Social Security benefits and you do not have other creditable coverage, you should still enroll in Medicare during your initial enrollment period by contacting your local Social Security office or by enrolling online at www.ssa.gov . The current monthly premium for Medicare Part B is \$135.50 for a married couple filing a joint income tax return with a combined income (from all sources) of \$170,000 or less.

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Honors

Julianna Clark, Amber Foley, Connor Guerin, Emily Hanley, Ryan Houston, Bridget Hurley, Kathleen Hurley, Liam Kelly, Cady Kurdari, Sydney Mitchell, Tracie Nhu-huyen, Emma Ordway, Brannagh Parsons, Christopher Rosado, Nevaeh Schlager, Reuben Stovell, Lukas Tewodros, Quan Truong, Clara Victor and Dermot White.

Sen. Keenan Encourages Commuters' Feedback

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"It will be a disruption and inconvenient and certainly add time to their commute, but they will go back to Wollaston for \$2 a day, take the quick shuttle bus up to North Quincy and then get on the train there.

"So for those who made the switch, they'll make the switch back, but there will be added commuting time."

Keenan said his office has pressed the MBTA to consider other options that might be needed, including a shuttle service between North Quincy and Squantum Point Park.

"We've encouraged [the T] to look at alternatives in case they are needed," Keenan said. "For instance, it may be necessary to run perhaps a shuttle bus from Squantum Point Park."

Squantum Point Park, which is owned by the state Department of Conservation and Recreation, is home to an 800-car parking lot. T officials told the City Council in April 2017 that a shuttle service between Squantum Point Park and North Quincy would be an option if necessary.

Quincy has partnered with the town of Winthrop in recent years to offer ferry service from Squantum Point Park to Boston and Winthrop. Keenan said it would make sense for the MBTA to offer commuter ferry service from Squantum Point Park as a mitigation measure, but the transit agency is not considering it.

"Right now, that is not part of the mitigation plan," he said. "As much as we would like it to be - as much as we're trying to encourage it - right now it is not part of the mitigation plan."

The T, he said, is concerned about the cost and logistics of putting a ferry service in place.

"I think they would tell you that the planning and the securing of a vehicle, the scheduling, finding docking spaces, is a complicated process and expensive," Keenan said. "In longer terms, getting a ferry service up and running would probably cost you less than repaving two miles of road. It's all relative."

The ridership numbers on the ferry out of Squantum Point Park haven't been strong, Keenan said, but he expects a ferry operated by the MBTA with a more favorable schedule to Quincy commuters would do better.

"One of the issues [is] when the city has partnered with the Winthrop ferry and we've been involved in that - the numbers haven't been great out of Quincy. They have been better than the Winthrop numbers more people [from Quincy] are riding the Winthrop ferry than people from Winthrop but the numbers haven't been great," Keenan said.

The reason the numbers haven't been great is the schedule isn't great. As recently as two weeks ago, we said to the T just don't look at the Winthrop ferry number and draw your conclusions based on that, because those aren't great commuting options the way they are scheduled.

"Look at the number of people that are living at Marina Bay now, the new apartments that have opened, and look at what's happening at the North Quincy train station and recognize you'd probably have a much greater ridership."

The bus shuttle that runs between Marina Bay and North Quincy station is at capacity, Keenan added; those residents who take that shuttle would likely ride the ferry if available.

"Marina Bay shuttle, which shuttles people from Marina Bay to the North Quincy train station, they're at capacity. We asked the MBTA to reach out to them to see if they're at capacity - we had heard they might be expanding it with another bus — but the word that the T got back was that they are at capacity," Keenan said.

"So there is a demand for transportation to Boston and if I lived at Marina Bay I would think it would be nicer to walk 200 yards or 100 yards, get on the ferry and be downtown within 15 minutes without having to worry about the shuttle bus to North Quincy to get on the train to South Station and connect over to the Seaport or Financial District."

As part of the mitigation package for the North Quincy project, the MBTA granted the city \$2.1 million to extend Commander Shea Boulevard 1,200 feet to Squantum Point Park. Once the extension is completed this spring, the park and its parking lot will be accessible directly from Commander Shea Boulevard; presently, the only way to get there is through Marina

"The Commander Shea Boulevard extension should be completed this spring," Keenan said. "That will give direct access to the Squantum Point parking lot, so people that are coming from South Quincy, Quincy Point, Merrymount, Houghs Neck, Germantown, anywhere, if they come down Quincy Shore Drive, they would be able to take that right to the little road that leads to Commander Shea and then have a straight shot right out into the parking lot. They don't have to go into the Marina Bay access roads, around the rotary and weave their way. It would be a direct shot into the parking

"Once that is done, we would be able to better position the ferry again saying, now we have direct access to the parking lot for commuters from Quincy and the South Shore."

An MBTA ferry previously ran out of the Fore River Shipyard in Quincy Point. Keenan said ferry service was unlikely to return there in the future because Quincy residents would likely use the ferry out of Squantum Point Park.

"The focus has been on Squantum Point Park for a whole bunch of reasons. Because it's in the north end of the city it would likely serve a greater number of Quincy residents. People have this thing about traveling backwards to go forwards and that was one of the things people always talked about when they talked about the ferry running out of the shipyard," Keenan said.

"So if you have it in North Quincy, all of Quincy can feed it into North Quincy."

The garage at North Quincy will include 852 parking spaces for MBTA riders - equivalent to the number of spaces previously available on the Hancock Street side of the facility. An additional 700 spaces will be included for residential and retail use at the station. When Wollaston re-opens in the summer, it will include roughly the same number of parking spaces that were available before the station closed in 2018.

Keenan said the MBTA opted not to increase the number of parking spaces between those two stations because there were surplus spaces before the Wollaston project began.

"When the Wollaston station was open, there were days when the parking lot was not fully utilized, or if Wollaston was fully utilized, North Quincy wasn't. Right up until the point they closed Wollaston, there was

surplus parking between Wollaston station and North Quincy," Keenan said.

"Even with the ability to carry more passengers, they didn't think the demand would be that much greater. And that's not even having the conversation ultimately of a Quincy [Center] garage in place."

The MBTA, he said, would likely entertain some sort of development at Wollaston station, just like it has at North Quincy and Quincy

"It could be five years, ten years, fifteen years," Keenan replied when asked if the station's lot would be developed.

"The MBTA leased out the North Quincy parking lot because they needed income and revenue. When you think about it, surface parking lots aren't your best use of land near a train sta-

"If you're going to develop, in my view, you keep development out of neighborhoods, and you put it in your central business districts where there is public transportation readily available. People who live in those apartments or condominiums, instead of having two cars, may only have one, and they will use public transportation. Ideally, that type of transportation would have less impact on the quality of life citywide. That is the whole idea behind transit-oriented devel-

School Committee Honors Project 351 Ambassadors

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The yearlong program began with a Launch Day where various dignitaries addressed the students about the importance of leadership and community service. Gov. Charlie Baker and Congressnewly-elected woman Ayanna Pressley were among the speakers. Students also listened to a video message from New England Patriots owner Bob Kraft.

Following the remarks, students went to various service sites including the Pine Street Inn homeless shelter, Cradles to Crayons, the Greater Boston Food Bank, the McKay School and Service Village.

Isabella Carinci served at Cradles to Crayons where she assisted other students in sorting clothes that will be distributed to children in need.

"We went through the clothes and organized them into what could be used for kids less fortunate," she said. "We ended up serving over 800 kids."

Mallory Rimovitz said

her experience at the Pine Street Inn was "very inspiring."

"We made food for them that was going to be used for their next day's meal," she said. "It made me feel good that I got to help someone."

At the McKay School, Abigail Coughlin's group painted the auditorium stage and walls and created murals in the bathrooms. She said visiting another district's school was eyeopening.

"It kind of opened my eyes to what some students go through because when I got there, it it was a pretty dull environment, and I thought it would be hard to learn in," she said. "I wouldn't want to learn in that kind of environment. After (painting the walls), it was so much nicer, so I felt really proud that we made a difference."

Madeline Baryza spent the afternoon at the Service

"We made cards for veterans, blankets for homeless and hygiene kits for kids," she said. "We made 500 of

those kits."

The students will serve throughout the year performing various community service projects, attending special events, and learning leadership skills.

"There's so much more to come for them," Gilbert said.

According to the Project 351 website, more than 3,000 ambassadors and alumni have served more than 550,000 people since the program's inception in 2011. The concept of Project 351, which had been developed by Carolyn Casey, was initially a one-day celebration to honor the legacy of civil rights leader, Dr. Martin Luther King., Jr., as well as statewide unity and youth leadership.

"With Project 351's enrichment, training, and ambassadors mentorship, dedicate a year to build unity, cultivate kindness, and transform lives and communities through service," stated the website. "As they serve, they develop the courage, compassion, and capabilities to lead awe-inspiring change. We believe that inside every young person is a brave, bold leader world and the skill, passion, more urgent than ever."

and creativity to achieve their vision."

Added the website, "In a new world reality where polarization and division are the norm, our mission -- and the idealism and goodness with dreams of a better of our ambassadors - feels

Student Tara Nguyen Jumpstart Volunteer

is among several Eastern Connecticut State University students volunteering with local preschool children through Jumpstart, an AmeriCorps program that supports the language and social skills of children from low-income areas.

Nguyen, a member of the

Tara Nguyen of Quincy Class of 2021, majors in sociology.

Jumpstart recruits and trains college students and AmeriCorps members to serve preschool children in low-income neighborhoods. Children who grow up in under-resourced communities often enter kindergarten 60 percent behind their peers from more affluent areas, a statistic which Jumpstart hopes to correct.

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On Saturday, Feb. 16, at approximately 2:15 a.m., Officers Mike Reilly and Scott Doherty were dispatched to Billings Street for a disorder between a male and female outside the address. The caller was awakened by yelling and called

As the officers arrived on scene, a second call came in about the disturbance, stating that there was now screaming. The officers approached the two-family home and noticed that a light was on in the upstairs unit. The officers then heard a male yelling and a female crying hysterically.

The sound was coming from the upstairs apartment but the front exterior door was locked. Officer Doherty knocked and announced, "Quincy Police!" The yelling and crying immediately stopped followed by the lights in the apartment going off, Officer Doherty shouted again, "Quincy Police - open the door!" Numerous attempts were made to get the occupants to open the door in order to check on their well being to no avail.

Patrol Supervisor/Sgt. Mike Duran, who was en route to the call, requested that the Quincy Fire Department be dispatched to assist in getting the front door open. In these cases, officers need to assure that the occupants are safe, free to leave and unharmed. They also want to determine if a crime occurred.

As the officers waited, they spent their time trying to convince the occupants to open the door and advised them that failure to comply could result in the door being forced open. The apartment remained silent and dark. As Sergeant Duran and Quincy Fire Engine 2 arrived on scene, Officer Reilly could see through the front door's windows the light to the common hallway that lit up the stairway leading to the apartment was suddenly turned off. The officers believed at this point it was reasonable to believe that someone inside the house was making an effort to prevent the officers from

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doing their job.

Once the firefighters pried open the exterior door, the officers cautiously made their way up the stairs. Sgt. Duran brought a breaching tool in the event there were more doors that needed to force open. Officer Doherty found the light switch and turned the stairway/hallway light back on. Once at the top of the staircase, the officers discovered that the apartment door in question was also locked.



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After again knocking and announcing that the Quincy Police needed to check on all parties in the apartment and that the door would be forced, there was still no response. Using the breaching tool, the officers forced the door open and entered the dark unit. Sgt. Duran shouted, "Quincy Police! Make yourself known!" No one spoke so the officers conducted a protective sweep to clear the apartment of any threats to safety.

Sgt. Duran and Officer Reilly found a closed door which led to a bedroom where a male and female were in bed, appearing to be wide awake and did not look like they had been sleeping. They were ordered to show their hands which they did. The couple was separated and when questioned, could not offer a good reason why they hadn't opened the door other than that they were sleeping.

The male immediately began yelling and became unco-

operative, demanding to know why he was being arrested. He was told that he was not under arrest and told of the reason why the officers were there. The officers struggled to convey their message to the male, who continued to interrupt, argue and ignore them. The male was upset and complaining that his door was destroyed and he would have to pay to fix it.

Oddly, the male confirmed several times on scene that he heard the knocking and heard the Police announcement at the door. When Sgt. Duran asked him why he didn't open he door when he knew it was the Police, the male responded, "I've been taught not to open the door for the police." Officer Reilly interviewed the female, who said they were out drinking earlier in a bar and her boyfriend/male was intoxicated. When they got home they started arguing with each other about how they were talking to other people in the bar and did not pay enough attention to each other. She said her boyfriend becomes argumentative and aggressive when he is drunk, but "Once he calms down everything should be okay."

She was advised of her domestic violence rights but she refused services. She also confirmed that moments earlier she heard the knocking at the door and heard "Quincy Police." The officers conferred and determined that everyone in the home was safe and peace was restored.

As the officers began making their way out of the apartment, the male continued being argumentative and started yelling, "Get the f@#\$ out! You guys are F!@@#\$%, You guys are p#\$\$%^s." The officers believed the male was trying to provoke a fight with the officers.

Once out of the apartment, the male slammed the door shut. He then followed the officers to the exterior door and tried to slam it but it was too damaged from being pried

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Quincy Police Statistics Feb 15 - Feb 21 **Calls: 967** Arrests: 18 **Stolen Vehicles: 2**

FRIDAY, FEB. 15 LARCENY, 3:29 a.m., 176 Presidents Ln. Caller reports an individual has been harassing him for the past two days. Caller reports the individual has adult pictures of him. Has been harassing him for money ever since. Caller has saved the previous messages. Report submitted for attempted extortion. Correction. Report on extortion. Money was

sent. BREAKING AND ENTERING, 8:18 a.m., Mountain One Bank, 77 Granite St. Head of bank security called to report a B&E to the bank overnight. Office is offsite and he will be forwarding the video of a female breaking into the

LARCENY, 12:57 p.m., YMCA, 79 Coddington St. Stuff was stolen from locker. Debit card.

LARCENY, 1:53 p.m., Royal Hotpot Sushi Bar, 227 Parkingway. Purse. Caller states the restaurant she works for has it on video. Light-skinned black female, two-toned hat, green jacket, dark pocketbook, black leggings, brown

ATTEMPTED BREAKING AND ENTERING, 2:02 p.m., Wollaston Ave. Razor blade was used on screen.

SATURDAY, FEB. 16

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 5:27 a.m., Willard St. Person had originally left. Just came back and kicked in the window. Now outside. Caller hesitant to give any further info. Tracking dog requested. Unable to locate suspect. Last name of suspect not found to be a real person.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 12:13 p.m., E. Squantum St. Four punctured tires and other damage to vehicle.

MOTOR VEHICLE LARCENY, 12:54 p.m., 112 Mc-

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 4:43 p.m., Fr. Bill's Place, 38 Broad St. Two males arguing in the past. Male on scene now has back hurt. Second male fled ten minutes ago. 53-year-old white male on scene was flipped upside down and dropped on the floor. Unknown male fled the scene. One

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 9:31 p.m., Billings St. Youths threw a jar of pickles at rear window, now smashed. Happened about 20 minutes ago. No description of the youths. Saw them run down the street.

SUNDAY, FEB. 17

LARCENY, 1:45 p.m., St. John's Church, 44 School St. Morning collections stolen in the lower church area.

BREAKING AND ENTERING, 5:57 p.m., YMCA, 79 Coddington St. Unknown cut lock off caller's locker and stole his wallet.

MONDAY, FEB. 18

LARCENY, 1:03 p.m., Cagney's, 214 Washington St.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY, 2:11 p.m., Quarry St. With delivery driver. Complaint for A&B.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 3:40 p.m., James St. Gray SUV. Two kids in car with baseball bats just did damage to caller's car. Damage to the driver side window and driver side tale light. Both males possibly driving around, joy riding and damaging vehicles. Male with the bat has short hair. In area of Hyde Street. Gone on arrival.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 4:07 p.m., Adams St. & Common St. Egged the caller's car. Gray Highlander lists back to Braintree. Gone on arrival.

LARCENY, 4:35 p.m., Choo Company, 1 Billings Rd. Female stole an employee's wallet about 15 minutes ago. On video. Light-skinned African-American female, Patriots hat, black jacket, khaki pants. Fled on foot toward Hancock

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 6:55 p.m., Grogan Ave.

LARCENY, 7:22 p.m., Walmart, 301 Falls Blvd. Cellphone. Caller has suspect outside. Turning into a disorder. Walmart will notify if phone is located.

TUESDAY, FEB. 19

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 8:36 a.m., West St. Small crack in vehicle's mirror.

LARCENY, 9:23 a.m., 1212 Hancock St. Past. BREAKING AND ENTERING, 9:44 a.m., 350 Han-

LARCENY, 11:49 a.m., 11 McGrath Hwy. States from the date of Oct. 27 to Nov. 14 when he returned, \$1,400 was missing from a safe.

LARCENY, 2:11 p.m., 1000 Southern Arty. Medica-

LARCENY, 2:40 p.m., 816 Willard St. Caller states someone is opening her packages at the complex office. Nothing was stolen. Leasing office advised the victim that they knew who had opened the package, but refuses to cooperate by providing this unknown party's identity or further info. Officer to file report based on what limited info could be obtained.

ATTEMPTED LARCENY, 4:21 p.m., Rite Aid, 132 Granite St. Dark white male, gray jacket, blue sneakers, blue baseball cap in the store. Currently has a large amount of items. Headed toward Boston Market. Rite Aid employee not sure what he took. Male is gone on arrival.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 20

BREAKING AND ENTERING, 10:16 a.m., 270 Quarry St. Door was open and office has been trashed. BREAKING AND ENTERING, 10:43 a.m., 175 Cen-

tre St. Documents open. VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 1:47 p.m., 276 South St.

Now has footage of suspects she would like to show an officer on a previously reported incident.

MOTOR VEHICLE LARCENY, 3:13 p.m., 1388 Hancock St. Theft report says vehicle last seen Feb. 18 at

7:30 p.m. Keys were left inside.

ATTEMPTED BREAKING AND ENTERING, 5:26 p.m., 3 Avalon Dr. Caller states door was broken in attempt to break in, but no entry was made.

THURSDAY, FEB. 21

ARMED ROBBERY, 7:18 a.m., CVS, 42 Beale St. One male. Used a gun. Fled in unknown direction. White male, about 5'7", 170 pounds, mask, jeans, green armystyle jacket, black trash bag. Unable to locate suspect.

VANDALISM/PROPERTY, 5:40 p.m., Home Depot, 465 Centre St. White box truck. Store will review tape. Nails poured into engine area sometime this week. Caused engine to smoke when driving.

BREAKING AND ENTERING, 7:57 p.m., Lancaster St. Dwelling. Back door is open.

BREAKING AND ENTERING, 8:48 p.m., Robertson St. B&E in past. Back door kicked in. Items taken. 20-minute delay between break and notification to police.

If anyone has more information about any of the aforementioned incidents or would like more information, contact Crime Prevention Lieutenant Dan Minton at 617 745 5719

STOLEN MOTOR VEHICLES: 1388 Hancock St., McGrath Highway.

CAR BREAKS: 1250 Hancock St.

BREAKS AND ATTEMPTED BREAKS: Robertson Street, Lancaster Street (2), 175 Centre St., 270 Quarry St., 350 Hancock St., 79 Coddington St., Wollaston Avenue, 77 Granite St

If you have information on the above crimes, drug activy or any crime, please call the Quincy Police Detective Bureau at 617-745-5764 or log onto the following website http://tinyurl.com/ytf6td.

To report suspicious drug activity, call the Drug Hot-Line at 617-328-4527. You will not be required to identify yourself, but it could help. To make an appointment to view the Registered Sex Offenders book, call Detective James Dentremont at 617-745-5755.

To contact the Crime Prevention Officer for tips or comments, my direct line is 617-745-5719. My e-mail addres is dminton@ci.quincy.ma.us - Lt. Dan Minton

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18-20 Payne Street 469 Sea Street Unit 2 63 Independence Avenue 17 Hummock Road 5-7 Alden Street 48 Jackson Street 26 Martensen Street 7 Ocean Street 34 Dewson Road

Ask Barbara Graceffa: 'Secretary Of The Interior'

Mixing Metal Finishes

I have noted - both on home improvement TV shows and in decorating magazines - the mixing of metal finishes. For example: brass cabinet pulls used in a kitchen with stainless steel appliances. I'd like to give this a try throughout my home. Are there any rules to follow and how do you suggest I dip my toe in the water? Louisa

You are very observant - mixing metals is everywhere now. Done right, mixed metals can add glamour, sparkle, and visual interest to any room.

To answer your last question first, here is some good advice for many decorating adventures: start small. Audition a small side table, a lamp, a mirror, or even a few pillows with metallic threads. You can always return these décor items if they just don't feel right in your space.

Now for three more rules. First, let one metal dominate. Add a second metal (or third) but stop there. This is a great example of "less is more." It is too easy to tip the scales from interesting to chaotic. (If you must



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include a third metal, elect iron because its black or dark brown finish can be treated as a neutral and will not compete for attention. Also, chrome, stainless, and silver can all be lumped into one as their color is so close to each other.)

Second, pepper the metals throughout the room. One way to achieve this is to vary the height of their placement in the room. For example, place mercury glass (a silver mirrored look) wall sconces and silver frames on the wall while choosing gold metal legs on your coffee table. Choose copper pendant lights over your kitchen island housing a brushed steel sink with chrome faucets. Or maybe hang a pretty mirror with an

oversized gold frame as a statement piece in the room with clusters of ironclad picture frames on the mantel and bookshelves.

Third, vary a few textures or finishes of the metals including matte, satin, polished, brushed, hammered, or a patina finish to add both a fresh update and visual interest to your room.

Do you have a decorating challenge needing a professional solution? Send your questions to Secretary of the Interior at barbara@ sec-interior.com.

Barbara Graceffa owns and operates Secretary of the Interior, an interior decorating company in Quincy, offering creative solutions at reasonable rates.

For more information on her services, to view her portfolio, and to read testimonials about her work, visit www.sec-interior.com. Or you can reach her at 617-921-6033.

Quincy Community Action Programs, Inc. (QCAP) will host a set of comprehensive workshops designed for first-time home buyers.

The First-Time Home Buyer Workshop will be held in two sessions: Thursday, March 14th from 6 to 9 p.m. and Saturday, March 16th from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Quincy Community Action Programs, 1509 Hancock St., Quincy.

This monthly workshop focuses on all aspects of the home buying process. Real estate professionals will present information on topics from mortgages to home insurance. Attendees must attend both sessions in order to receive a certificate of attendance. Participants may use their certificate to obtain a low rate loan through MassHousing or MassHousing Partnerships. Free individual counseling is also available.

Registration is open;

space is limited. The cost is \$30 per person and the fee is non-refundable.

QCAP First-Time

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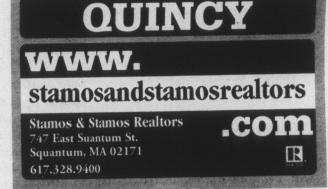
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into the Red Line, including projects to replace every train car on the line, install a new signal system, and a \$300 million project to overhaul the line's railyard in South Boston.

Those projects also include work at each of the five stations along the Braintree Branch. The T is renovating the garages at Braintree and Quincy Center stations, both of which should be finished in the fall of 2021. The T is nearly finished with the demolition of the garage at Quincy Center, and angled parking places near the busway there will be re-added in March. Wollaston station closed in January 2018 and is set to re-open in August following a complete renovation to make it compliant with the Americans with Disabilities Act.

The latest project began last week at North Quincy, where two private developers - Atlantic and Bozzuto Development - are planning a mixed-use development with 610 apartments and 45,000 square feet of retail space. The first phase of the project will include construction of a new garage; to accommodate the garage, 590 parking spaces on the Hancock Street side of the station are now closed. Sixhundred ten spaces remain available at the station, including ones remaining on Hancock Street and the lot on Newport Avenue.

T officials have suggested commuters park at Wollaston station - where they said 250 of the 400 available spaces sat empty Monday - and ride a free shuttle to Ouincy Center or

North Quincy to catch the Red Line. The T is also providing a discount for Commuter Rail service from Quincy Center to Boston that will continue until the North Quincy garage opens in the fall of 2020.

Ward 4 Councillor Brian Palmucci, the chairman of the oversight committee. said the MBTA and other state agencies sometimes give city officials the feeling they should be happy with the money being spent and just live with the negative impacts of the projects.

"We're supposed to be happy you guys are making an investment in the city... we're just supposed to be happy and take it," Palmucci said about two hours into the meeting. "Shame on us for having any complaints or concerns about the way in which it's being done."

Beth Larkin, an assistant general manager with the MBTA, said the loss of parking spaces and other impacts on Quincy caused by the ongoing work is proportionate to the investment the T is making into the city.

"The magnitude the displacement is probably commensurate with the magnitude of the investment," she said. "There is no other community that is getting the significant investment such as Quincy, and so the impact is more in Quincy than other communities."

Several councillors suggested the T utilize the 800spot parking lot at Squantum Point Park, which is owned by the state Department of Conservation and Recreation, and provide a shuttle service from there to North Quincy while the garage is being built. During a community meeting Feb. 6, T officials said they would look into doing so if it were necessary.

Councillor Noel DiBona said the shuttle to and from Squantum Point Park should be implemented now and could be removed if not enough people were using

"I'd be more inclined for you to put it in, and if we don't need it take it away," he said Monday. "Would you be inclined to put it in use now and then if we don't need it maybe take it away?"

Evan Rowe, the MBTA's director of revenue, said it would not make sense to establish a new shuttle service with so many spaces open at Wollaston station.

"This is something that we are monitoring closely every single day. When you have 250 spaces open at Wollaston, we have to be prudent stewards of taxpayer money on this," Rowe said. "If people aren't taking advantage of shuttle-based parking at Wollaston, it's unlikely they would take advantage of shuttle-based parking at Squantum Point Park."

Councillor Anne Mahoney said running a shuttle service from Squantum Point Park would benefit Squantum residents who might be disinclined to drive to Wollaston to catch a shuttle bus there.

"People that are coming from Squantum do not want to drive from Squantum to Wollaston and take a bus back, because there is traffic everywhere," she said.

Another point of conten-

tion for councillors was expanding service on the three bus lines - the 210, 211 and 212 - that run between Quincy, Wollaston and North Quincy. The 211 was discussed in particular Monday night; that runs from Quincy Center to Squantum via Wollaston and Montclair, including a stop at the North Quincy station. The final 211 bus leaves Quincy Center at 7:20 p.m. on weekdays, arriving at North Quincy 12 minutes later and Squantum 10 minutes after

that. "The 211 bus and/or additional buses in and around that neighborhood, is there any way we can look into increasing the frequency to encourage people to not use their car and say 'wow, the 211 running past 7 p.m. - I don't have to take my car to North Quincy," said Councillor Nina Liang, who has pushed for the expanded bus service during several community meetings the T has

Larkin said it would not be possible to do so because the MBTA only has so many buses available and running more 211 buses would lead to degradation of service elsewhere.

Ward 6 Councillor William Harris said he did not buy that answer, noting the T can often provide additional service for special events like the Tall Ships or the Fourth of July concert on the Esplanade.

"Those are...events that happen once a year," Harris said. "We're talking about taking care of the people who go onto that bus every day of the year and support the T and keep it going."

Dorsey Dugan, a road control supervisor for the T, said later in the meeting that the two buses used on the 211 route return to the bus yard following their final run for maintenance and refueling. Those buses, he explained, have to be taken off the road at that point because they have been in service since 6 a.m.

Dugan said the T could look into extending the hours the 211 bus runs on weekdays, but the ridership on the line might not justify expanding service.

"Ridership is relatively low on the 211. I know the 211, I grew up on the 211, and I don't think enough people use it," Dugan said. "If we have additional resources, we put them in other lines that need them more. The 230 going from Quincy Center toward Brockton is bursting at the seams all day

long. The 211 is just not that popular of a bus.

"We would love to add it, but I don't think the ridership demand is really there."

The MBTA last fall raised the daily parking rates at Quincy Adams and Braintree from \$7 to \$9. Rowe said Braintree consistently fills up while Quincy Adams is often at 80 percent capacity; if it fills up, it does so later in the morning. Rowe said the number of cars parked at Quincy Adams has decreased somewhat since the fall, which he said could be because of the parking increase, the ongoing work at the garage or the opening of the pedestrian gate to the station on Independence Avenue.

DiBona suggested the T cut the price to park at Quincy Adams to encourage more commuters to park there; the T cut the price at Wollaston station from \$5 to \$2 last week when the North Quincy project began.

"Let's just say you lowered that amount from \$9 to say \$6 or \$7, maybe you would get more people," Di-Bona said. "If you lower the price and hit full capacity, you make the same amount of money."

> Rowe said lowering the Cont'd On Page 21

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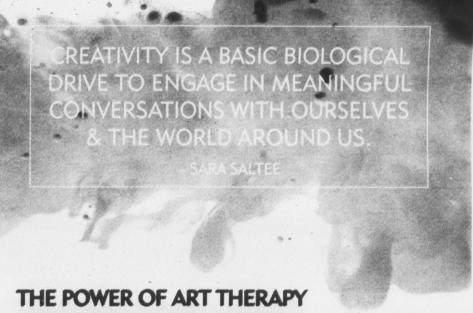
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ROBERT E. "HUBIE" HUBER, "Quincy's Skydiving Santa" since 1976, passed away Feb. 13 in Lake Wales, Fla. The former Quincy resident was 79. He delighted thousands of young children annually since 1976 parachuting to the ground from an airplane along with his elves as part of the city's Christmas festivities. Here Mr. Huber prepares to land at Pageant Field during his jump in 2007. Mr. Huber's final jump came in 2017; he did not jump in 2016, the year Santa was injured during the skydive.

Quincy Sun File Photos/Robert Noble



AFTER LANDING SAFELY at Pageant Field, Robert 'Hubie' Huber, better known as Quincy's 'Skydiving Santa,' greeted children who anxiously waited for the parachuting jolly old elf for his unique arrival. This file photo was taken in 2007. News of Mr. Huber's passing last week at the age of 79 saddened the community. He had delighted thousands parachuting to Quincy on the Saturday after Thanksgiving, a tradition that stretches back to the 1970s. His obituary was posted on The Quincy Sun website and shared with the newspaper's Facebook friends. More than 11,000 people had viewed the posting as of Monday morning. Many also expressed their condolences to the Huber family on their loss. One reader, Constance Sargent, summed it up for many by commenting: "What a kind soul to bring so much joy to so many."



PHOTOS AT RIGHT: Robert E. 'Hubie' Huber, Quincy's first skydiving Santa, prepares to land at Pageant Field in 2010 (top) and 2014. Top photo by Robert Noble, bottom photo by Ally Graf.

PHOTO LEFT: Santa, a good friend of Robert E. Huber, (right) and his jolly elves wave to spectactors after arriving at Pageant Field by parachute in 2011.

Robert E. Huber, City's First Skydiving Santa, Passes At 79



ROBERT E. HUBER



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Notes From Gracie's Bookshelf: Book Review By Gracie Warren

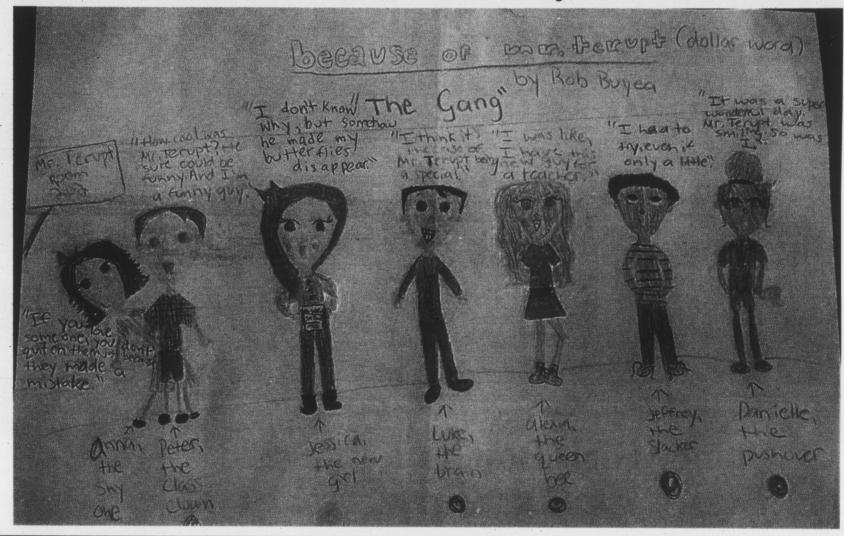
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Review, Illustration By GRACIE WARREN

It's 5th grade and the teacher's name is Mr. Terupt. Seven kids are in Room 202 with him – they don't know each other and while they're expecting a normal teacher and school year, they are all in for a surprise.

Mr. Terupt is a very special teacher with cool projects like dollar words and counting the grass in the school soccer field. His students come to love him and when an accident happens to their beloved teacher, you get each one's perspective of the impact he has had on their lives.

A heartbreaking book with a wonderful ending, I have read this book twice in the last few months. I give it 10 stars!



Residents Discuss MBTA Fare Hike, Bus Route Proposals

By SCOTT JACKSON

Quincy residents had a chance to discuss MBTA proposals – including a planned fare increase and changes to bus routes – with representatives from the transit agency during a recent public meeting.

Dozens of residents attended the Feb. 20 meeting inside the Thomas Crane Public Library's community room. T officials set up different stations inside the room - which one official likened to a science fair – for various proposals the agency is considering, including a 6.3 percent fare increase, changes to dozens of bus routes, a new farecollection system, and bus stop amenities. Residents at the meeting could learn more about each proposal and leave feedback with T representatives.

Joe Pesaturo, an MBTA spokesman who attended the meeting, said the format for the event was chosen because of the number of projects the transit agency has in the works.

"We decided to do something different because we have so many initiatives and proposals going on right now," he said. "People can talk about whatever project interests them the most."

T leadership will take the feedback from Quincy's meeting, and others ongoing through early March, into consideration before finalizing the plans.

"The MBTA Fiscal and Management Control Board has made it clear...that they want to consider all feedback presented to them before any decision is made," Pesaturo said.

considering an across-theboard 6.3 percent fare hike that would take effect July 1. The proposal would increase the cost for a oneway bus ride 10 cents, from \$1.70 to \$1.80, and the cost for a one-way train ride 15 cents, from \$2.25 to \$2.40. The cost for a monthly LinkPass - which offers unlimited bus and subway rides - would rise from \$84.50 to \$90 - and the cost for a monthly local bus pass would increase from \$55 to

The T has not raised fares since 2016. Under state law, the transit agency can increase fares up to 7 percent every two years.

The MBTA's Better Bus Project includes proposed changes to 47 bus routes that could be implemented as soon as this fall. Several routes that originate in Quincy would see changes, including the 201, 202, 215,

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The MBTA's board is a single response to the manifering an across-the-ard 6.3 percent fare hike at would take effect July The proposal would interest the cost for a one-ary bus ride 10 cents, from the manifest that 220, 222, 225 and 238. The The proposed eliminating the 220 route's loop through Hingham Center, for example, and would have the 238 terminate at Quincy Adams instead of Quincy Center.

The complete list of bus changes can be viewed online at betterbus.mbta.com.

The T is preparing to roll out the new fare-collection system, dubbed Automatic Fare Collection 2.0, over the next several years. A pilot program could begin as soon as this fall, with a full roll out in mid 2020. The current system could be retired as soon as mid 2021.

Once AFC 2.0 is implemented, cash payments would no longer be allowed on buses, which is expected to speed up transit

times. Fares could be paid with new Charlie Cards, by smartphone apps, and by contactless credit or debit cards. To accommodate the loss of cash payments, T officials have said they would allow riders to load value onto Charlie Cards online, by phone, at local retailers and at new fare vending machines that would be installed in additional locations.

The T is also contemplating new amenities at bus stops. Residents were asked to give their opinion on several options now being considered, including cellphone charging stations, heating, Wi-Fi, benches and signage with countdown clocks for incoming buses.

Danielle Kemp, a Quincy

resident, said she decided to attend the meeting to discuss the changes because, "There are a lot of things with the MBTA that they push down on us with no input."

Kemp, who takes the

Kemp, who takes the Red Line at least two times a week, said the proposed fare hike would not bother her as long as the T's service would keep up.

"The money going up is OK if they're providing the service," she said.

Marissa Deegan-Jones, a Quincy resident who rides a bus and the Red Line to her job in Cambridge, said the T needs to make sure it can provide basic services first before considering things like heat at bus stops.

"A lot of stops on the bus I take don't even have signs saying it is a bus stop," she said.

Accessibility is another priority Deegan-Jones identified, based on concerns she has heard from other riders.

"A lot of people cannot come to these meetings for one reason or another," she said. "It's about making sure the T knows this."

Rep. Bruce Ayers said he attended the meeting to learn more about the items the residents he represents are concerned about.

"I wanted to come tonight to listen and learn more about the MBTA's plans and have an opportunity to [focus] in on concerns I've been hearing from constituents," he said.

The fare increase is one of those concerns his con-Cont'd On Page 32

STUDENT ATHLETES OF THE MONTH

Daniel Murphy Hockey - Quincy H.S.

"Dan has a special ability to play his best in the biggest games. What really separates him from his competition is his relentless work ethic in the off-season."

- Ted Walsh III

Daniel joined the QHS Varsity Ice Hockey team his sophomore year. Impressively, he has already had three shut outs this season. Daniel posts a 1.8 GAA (goals against average). During his junior year, he was selected as a Patriot League All-Star. Daniel

applied to Mass Maritime Academy with an undecided major, but is considering Emergency Management. He has a 3.15 GPA.





Sarah Pillone Track, Soccer - North Quincy H.S.

"Sarah has made major improvements in both hurdling and jumping. She has been contacted by several New England colleges already and is only a junior."

- Geoff Hennessey



Since middle school, Sarah has been on the track team. She holds many school records and impressive statistics; including a 17'1" outdoor long jump, a 17'3 1/4" indoor long jump, and a 8.88 second 55 meter indoor hurdle. She placed 5th for the triple jump in the 2018 Division 1 Championships.

She joined the NQHS soccer team her sophomore year and is now on the Varsity team. Sarah coaches at the Quincy Track Club and is in the National Honors Society. She hopes to study Biology or Pre-Med in college and has a 4.80 GPA.







SENIOR CAPTAIN Gia Calabro looks to make a pass in the Presidents' offensive zone against King Philip High School Monday night in a first-round match up in the Div. 1 South Sectionals. Quincy bowed to the Warriors, 63-52.

Quincy Sun Photos/Robert Bosworth

Quincy Girls Bow To KP, 63-52

girls varsity basketball season came to a close Monday night as the 9th-seeded Presidents bowed to 8th-seeded King Philip Regional High School 63-52 in the Div. 1 South Sectional Tourna-

Quincy's offense was led by junior forward Juliana Tracey (team-high 18 points), junior guard Jillian O'Toole (13 points) and junior forward Allison Me-Morrow (13 points).

With the loss, the Presidents' season ended with a record of 14-9, 9-6 in the Patriot League.

For King Philip, Faye Veilleux led the way for the Warriors on offense with 18 points. Faith Roy (14 points) and Shannon O'Connor (11 points) also contributed.

Both teams came out hot with Quincy forcing multiple turnovers in the first quarter on their way to 16 points in the period. King Philip was able to weather the storm with some accurate shooting from the outside by junior Faye Veilleux. She had 14 points in the first half alone.

The Presidents struggled to score in the second, managing only seven. The clutch late free throw (6/6) shooting of King Philip that allowed them to extend their lead to 30-23 at the break. Both teams continued to battle throughout the second half with King Philip extending the lead to as many as 11 and Quincy cutting it back to 7 on multiple occasions but they could never quite get over that deficit.

Faith Roy's 12 secondhalf points kept the president's at bay. Ally McMorrow and Jillian O'Toole both contributed 13 points for the Presidents. O'Toole's relentless defensive pressure was stellar and kept the team's hopes alive. Quincy ended the game with O'Toole and their four outstanding se-

and Ciana Williams - on the be forgotten.

The Quincy High School niors - Gia Calabro, Rachel floor. Their contributions to Smith, Julianne Gazzola, this team's success will not Bridgewater Raynham this

King Philip takes on #1 Friday night.



JUNIOR JILLIAN O'TOOLE played strong defense for the Presidents and also scored 13 points in a 63-52 loss to King Philip in the first round of the Div. 1 South Sectionals Monday night.



JUNIOR ALLISON McMORROW (right) manages a pass to teammate Priscilla Bonica while scrambling to the court floor for a loose ball against King Philip Monday night.



PUTTING UP JUMPERS for the Quincy Presidents against



QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL varsity boys basketball team - front row from left to right: Will Zarges, AJ Nelson, Nick Cedrone, Brendan Keaveny and Ryan Polsgrove. Back row: Head Coach David Parry, Dyllan Lopes, Drew Polsgrove, Benny Nguyen, Amarion Robinson, Derek Little, Franco Calabro, Devin Desmond, Brandon Johnson and Assistant Coach Brad Zarges. Missing from photo: Will Cook, Kaan Yavuz.

Photos Courtesy Bev Zargess/ Quincy High School Boys Basketball Boosters

QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL boys basketball seniors (photo lower right): from left to right - Nick Cedrone, AJ Nelson, Will Zarges, Brendan Keaveny and Ryan Polsgrove.



Quincy High School Boys Varsity Hoop Team 2018-2019 **Presidents Bow**

In Overtime To CM In Sectionals

By TOM JOYCE.

The Quincy High boys' basketball team gave it a strong effort, but were unable to advance following the first round of the MIAA Division 1 South sectional playoff bracket.

The No. 9 Presidents shined for 32 minutes and overcame a 10-point deficit in the final 2:30 of the game to send it to overtime. Ultimately, however, No. 8 Catholic Memorial got hot in overtime and won the game 78-66 at home. With the loss, Quincy finishes the season at 14-7 overall.

"We didn't give up," Presidents' head coach Dave Parry said. "This has been the most resilient group I've seen. They've all been such a pleasure to coach because of that and how hard they've worked. They left it all on the floor tonight. We really tried to persevere. I'm just so happy all of the fans came out for us. I think it was good for the city, and good for the kids to see such a turnout."

In the final two minutes of regulation, the Presidents surged back with an 8-0 run

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QHS Girls Varsity **Basketball Team** 2018-2019





QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL girls varsity basketball team, 2018-2019. Front row from left to right: Ciana Williams, Jillian O'Toole, Gia Calabro, Brenna Tobin and Fallon Hobin. Back row: Priscilla Bonica, Juliana Tracey, Allison McMorrow, Rachel Smith, Grace Hobin, Julianne Gazzolo and Head Coach Jeff Bretsch. Photos Courtesy Jeff Bretsch

QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL girls basketball seniors (photo at right - from left to right) Ciana Williams, Julianne Gazzola, Gia Calabro and Rachel Smith.



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Quincy-North Quincy Girls, Boys Indoor Track Teams



QUINCY-NORTH QUINCY boys indoor track team - 2018-19: Front row left to right: Eve Anderson, Maggie Guarente, Abby Murphy and Isabel Doherty. Middle row: Zoe Rakarich, Ellie Anderson, Jennie Burgess, Michelle Chen, Emma Jaehnig, Lezly Acevedo, Catherine Brown and Amanda Powers. Back row: Molly Cronin, Rory Mahoney, Olivia FitzPatrick, Bridget Keane, Vanessa Guan, Kylee Rascoe, Anna Chen, Lily Chen, Eileen Durgin, Sarah Pillone, Lauren Manning, Sabrina Egan and Victoria Mariano. Missing from photo: Isabella Hanley, Ciara O'Connor Photos Courtesy Geoff Hennessy and Emma Lyons



2018-19: Front row left to right: Brian Gutro, Jose Las and Benson Nguyen. Middle row: Sean Hill, Alex Ouellette, Bob Donovan, Malik Justice, Lawrence Ching, Jack Nelson, Rob Cannon, Zach Clements, Will Ploof and Oscar Li. Back row: Quang Vinh Tran, Matt Kelly, John Allesandro, Troy Isaac, Ahmad Powell, Charlie Codner, Nick Ouellette, Matt Wong, Emmit Bandzak, Yassin Abbouyoussef and Ryan Van. Missing from photo: Adnane Baghough, Samee Akouzhine, Matt Craig and Tyler Salfity.

Quincy Boys Bow To CM In Overtime In Sectionals

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of their own. Most notably, with around 50 seconds remaining Will Zarges sank a three-pointer, got fouled in the process and made his three-pointer to make it a one basket game, 59-57.

The Presidents and Catholic Memorial then both traded a pair of free throws with Quincy's coming from Brendan Keaveny, keeping it a two point game.

With 6.9 seconds remaining in the fourth quarter, Catholic Memorial turned the ball over, forcing a Quincy timeout. Following it, Keaveny floated in a jump shot with 0.9 seconds

left, tying it at 61 apiece and forcing the game into over-

Ultimately, Catholic Memorial surged in OT, going on a 10-0 run to start things off. This deficit was too large for the Presidents to make a comeback. They hit one field goal in the overtime period.

With the win, Catholic Memorial advanced to the Div. 1 South quarterfinal where they will take on topseeded Brookline on the road today (Thursday).

During the contest, it was clear Catholic Memorial had more depth than the Presidents, who essentially

used seven players. However, the ones they did have out there played hard and matched up well against one of the tougher opponents in

"We've lost some guys to injury," Parry said. "We did so well and then we had that little dry run there. Maybe we got tired, too. We knew with Catholic Memorial we had hoped to be able to slow them down, but we wouldn't be able to shut them down completely. We did the best we could but overall, I couldn't be happier with the way the kids represented the city tonight."

Much of the game was

tightly contested, and the Presidents outplayed Catholic Memorial in the first half. The Presidents hit their shots at a near 50 percent rate while their foe hit under 30 percent of theirs. Quincy led 31-25 at the break.

Keaveny led their offensive charge, scoring 17 of his 25 points in the first half while grabbing 10 of his 15 rebounds in the first two quarters. Zarges also had a double-double for the Presidents, dropping 16 points and grabbing 10 rebounds in

AJ Nelson (9 points) and Brandon Johnson (8 points) also shot the ball well for

the Presidents.

In the second half, the Presidents ran into some foul trouble in the third quarter and as a result, they had to sit Keaveny and Nelson for a few minutes--and Catholic Memorial capitalized on the situation. By the end of the third quarter, they led 41-40 in the game.

Adding on to their foul trouble, Zarges also fouled out with 40 seconds remaining in the fourth quarter.

The loss for the Presidents snapped their five game win streak dating back to Feb. 13 when they beat Pembroke, 56-28.

The Presidents will lose five seniors to graduation

now that their season is over: captains AJ Nelson, Will Zarges, Brendan Keaveny and Nick Cedrone as well as Ryan Polsgrove. That said, the team will, in all likelihood, end up looking a bit different next season. However, guards Brandon Johnson, a junior, and Dyllan Lopes, a sophomore, both of whom played extensive roles this season, are expected to return next season; they will be among a few players with varsity experience on the team.

"We'll have a lot of young kids coming in next year," Parry said, "so we figure to be a much younger team."

Cab Driver To Be Honored, Scamming Seminar Friday

Mayor Thomas P. Koch and Massachusetts Credit Unions will honor Quincy Yellow Cab Driver Richard Spencer Friday for preventing an 87 year-old woman from being scammed out of thousands of dollars' worth of gift cards. The presentation will be held at the Kennedy Senior Center on 440 East Squantum, St., in Quincy at 10 a.m.

In tribute of Spencer's heroic deed in recognizing the signs of elder financial exploitation and taking action to protect a senior from falling victim, Mayor Koch, the Credit Unions of Massachusetts along with Quincy Credit Union will present a check to the Kennedy Senior Center in Quincy. Scheduled to accept on behalf of the Kennedy Center are Quincy Mayor Thomas Koch and the Kennedy Center's director, Thomas Clasby, Jr. Also joining in the presentation will be Yellow Cab driver Richard Spencer; Ouincy Police Chief Paul Keenan; Quincy Credit Union Chief Marketing and Communications Officer, Judith Brazil; and Cooperative Credit Union Association SVP of Strategic Communications, Walter Laskos.

For the past year, Massachusetts Credit Unions have taken up the battle to protect seniors from financial exploitation, helping to raise awareness of what is seen as a \$40 billion dollar industry. The credit unions have participated in radio interviews and sponsored radio commercials in addition to their signature educational program, CU Senior Safeguard, which they use to train and certify credit union employees to recognize the signs of elder financial exploitation and know what to do in response. CU Senior Safeguard is also offered free to

caregivers and seniors alike at www.bettervaluesbetterbanking.com.

The credit unions have also sponsored a number of "Lunch & Learn" gatherings at senior centers across the state where together with local lawmakers, police and social services providers, they educate seniors about financial scams and how they can protect themselves from falling victim.

Mayor Koch and Chief Keenan will also participate in a roundtable discussion about senior citizen scamming and safety on WRKO today (Thursday) at 2:30

The Cooperative Credit Union Association is a regional trade organization serving as the voice for nearly 200-member credit unions primarily located in the States of Delaware, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, and Rhode Island. CCUA member credit unions hold combined assets in excess of \$45 billion and serve a collective membership base of more than 2.3 million con-

On behalf of these member credit unions, CCUA advocates before Congress and state legislatures, regulatory bodies and to the general public through its Better Values-Better Banking consumer awareness campaign. In addition to advocacy, CCUA also engages its member credit unions with an array of industry resources, from compliance assets and marketing support to vetted products and service providers; educational workshops and conferences; and, a variety of communications, from a daily e-newsletter to simulcast video programs.

For more information, visit www.CCUA.org.

City Awarded \$225,000 For Seawall Design

Cont'd From Page 1 The first phase - which

was discussed during sever- year and approved by the al community meetings last Conservation Commission

in November - covers the shoreline between Chickatabot Road and Babcock Street. The first phase of the project will include the

> The second phase would go from Babcock Street to Bayswater Road. The second phase includes 4,275 linear feet of seawall.

> replacement of about 8,000

linear feet of seawall.

Ward 1 Councillor David

McCarthy, who represents the neighborhoods behind the seawall that will be replaced, welcomed the grant Monday.

"We're lucky to get the grant and I think this is a great move forward for phase two. I'm all in favor of this," he said.

The \$56,250 appropriation came from the sewer and drain rehabilitation fund. Ward 3 Councillor Ian Cain, chairman of the council's finance committee, said more than \$3.4 million was available inside that fund prior to Monday's vote.

The \$225,000 state grant for the seawall design came from the dam and seawall repair and removal program. The city had received a similar grant for the first phase of the seawall project.

Students Sharpen Skills In Extended Day Programs

By TOM GORMAN

Students can sharpen their academic, social, and development skills thanks to the Quincy Public Schools' extended day programs.

The program's coordinators, Janet Loftus, Courtney Mitchell and Edward Smith outlined the various offerings in a newsletter that was sent out last month. The program is offered at all grade levels across the city.

The coordinators noted that the extended day program provides "a diverse menu of clubs and activities that inspire and challenge our students before and after school."

"From community service outreach programs, to the arts, STEM (Science Technology Engineering Math), and wellness activities, our programs cover a variety of topics intended to support students academically, developmentally, social-emotionally," stated the coordinators. "In all Quincy Public Schools, we strive as an educational community to embody the whole student, and our extended day activities give us

an outstanding opportunity to do this beyond the bell across all grade levels."

The district's STEM Academy is open to elementary students in grades 3 to five and middle school grades 6 to 8 students.

At the elementary level, students participating in the Planes, Rockets, Cars and Coasters program design, test and develop types of models with a focus on how the models are powered. The students build pneumatic rockets, balloon powered cars, and Alka-Seltzer rockets.

The Coding is Elementary program exposes students to basic computer programming concepts and work collaboratively to investigate problem-solving techniques and learn about internet safety.

The middle school STEM program involves structural engineering and architecture.

In the Bridges, Towers and Structures, students are introduced to structural engineering design elements through inquiry learning tasks. Students in the Architecture and Design program will design two and threedimensional floor plans and build a model of a customdesigned house.

There is a \$25 charge for participating in the STEM Academy.

schools, such clubs are offered to enhance computer and writing skills. At the Squantum School, its computer club is a 10-week program for fourth and fifth graders. The students learn the basics of HTML programming and use coding, creativity and collaboration

to build websites. Also at Squantum is the School Players that perform musical plays. The group meets each Tuesday and Thursday morning from October through March and performs afternoon and evening shows for students and the community.

Student Meaghan Smith said that the club helps her be a team player.

"Being part of a team has improved my ability to communicate and interact with others;" she states.

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Councillors Seek Additional Mitigation From MBTA

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price at Quincy Adams to encourage parking there "is something we're absolutely going to look at."

In addition to the projects underway, Jeff Cook, the T's chief real estate officer, provided an update on the planned mixed-use development at Quincy Center.

The MBTA granted Atlantic and Bozzuto - the two developers behind the North Quincy project - rights to the Quincy Center project in late 2017.

Cook on Monday said the T issued the developers a conditional designation letter for the Quincy Center project last September, which would start a 90-day

due-diligence once work began at North Quincy. The T is now reviewing the initial letter, he said, and will reissue it within the next 30 days, starting the 90-day due-diligence at that point.

Cook said the latest iteration of the plan calls for a 275,000-square-foot project at Quincy Center.

Request for Proposals (RFQ)

Request for Proposals (RFQ) On Call Architectural and Engineering Services **City of Quincy**

Notice

RFQ due: MARCH 14, 2019 @ 11:30 a.m.

The City of Quincy, acting through the Department of Public Buildings, is soliciting proposals for a list of non-exclusive on-call consultant services to assist the City with the following professional services, but not limited to, architectural and engineering services for repair, modification as well as new construction building design, HVAC, plumbing, utilities, site, civil, structural, geotechnical, for the preparation and support of complete construction drawings, preparation of bid documents, estimates, contract administration, project inspection, and planning services or studies as required (building inspection, code compliance review and feasibility studies) peer review services, design of various infrastructure needs, abatement work, security upgrades/designs as well as preparation and review of construction documents associated with various projects throughout the City as needed. The Public Buildings Department shall be the lead agency; however, other City Departments may utilize these services.

Proposals will be received at the office of the Purchasing Department; City Hall; 1305 Hancock Street; Quincy, MA 02169, until Thursday, March 14, 2019 at 11:30 a.m.

Proposals may be submitted for one or more disciplines identified in this proposal. One contract may be awarded for the particular project, or more than one contract may be awarded if it is deemed to be in the best interest of the City of Quincy. Detailed specifications are available on-line at the City of Quincy's website, www.quin-

cyma.gov and also available at the office of the Purchasing Agent, Quincy City Hall, 1305

Hancock Street, Quincy, Massachusetts, 02169, between the hours of 8:30 AM and 4:30 PM The City of Quincy Public Buildings Department shall determine the selected proposer(s). The City of Quincy reserves the right to withdraw the RFP; to reject any and all proposals; and to accept any proposals deemed to be in the best interest of the City of Quincy.

Thomas P. Koch Mayor 2/28/19

Kathryn R. Logan **Purchasing Agent**

Commissioner of Public Buildings

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NORTH QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL 2018-2019 varsity hockey team. Front row from left to right: Lucas Hooley, Andrew Hally, Asher Wines, Talha Qasim, John Lynch and Anthony Viera. Second row: Coach Jamie Schatzl, Coach Matt Gibbons, James Hooley, Martin O'Flaherty, Dylan Connors, Connor Kulig, Ronan Kelly, Declan Callahan, Michael Gorman, Charlie Maher, Coach Dan Gibbons and Coach Jim Dunn. Third row: Ben Wines, Peyton McGaffigan, Andrew Airosus, Kieran O'Driscoll, Mike Izzo, Cormac Flaherty, John Early, Noah Wines and Sean Feeney. Last row: Manager David Maher.

Quincy Sun Photos/Robert Bosworth

NQHS Varsity Hockey Team

PHOTO AT RIGHT: North Quincy High School hockey seniors (from left to right) team manager/social media David Maher, Andrew Airosus, Kieran O'Driscoll, Noah Wines and John Early.

PHOTO LOWER RIGHT:
North Quincy High School
hockey captain Kieran
O'Driscoll (center) with
coaches (from left to right)
Jim Dunn (Goalie Coach),
Dan Gibbons (Freshman
Coach/Assistant Coach),
Head Coach Matt Gibbons
and Assistant Coach Jamie
Schatzl.

Hockey Teams Earn Tourney Byes

Quincy's two boys' hockey teams earned byes in their respective MIAA tournaments.

The Quincy Presidents (15-4-3) were seeded fourth in the Div. 2 South Tournament. The Presidents were scheduled to face off against 13-seed North Attleboro (10-8-2) at the Canton Ice House Tuesday evening after The Sun went to press for the week. Quincy would again play Saturday if it advances.

The North Quincy Red Raiders (15-5) were seeded third in the Div. 3 South Tournament. They will play Friday at 6:30 p.m. at the Canton Ice House against the winner of Tuesday's contest between 14-seed Rockland (11-8-1) and 19-seed Middleborough/Hull (9-8-3). North's next game would be March 3 if it advances.





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Bethany Congregational

Bethany Congregational Church, Quincy Center, will have a Communion Sunday Worship Service at 9:30 a.m. Rev. Patrick McCorkle will be preaching his sermon "God is..." Fellowship with light refreshments will follow the worship service.

All are welcome to attend Bethany Church Worship Services and its numerous group activities. Bethany has an active Outreach Committee doing var-

ious charity works.

The church office is open from 8:30 a.m. to noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Visit www.bethanycong-church.org for updates and activities. Thanks to the Video Ministry, the Bethany Church Service is broadcast on QATV at 6 p.m. on Thursdays and 10:00 a.m. on Sundays on Channel 8.

The church is wheelchair accessible.

First Baptist Church of Wollaston

Sunday morning worship at the First Baptist Church of Wollaston, 81 Prospect Ave., Quincy, begins at 10:30 a.m. Everybody is invited to the warm fellowship and coffee hour after the service.

Prior to the worship service is an English Bible Class in Chapel at 9:15 a.m.; a Vietnamese Bible Class is at 9 a.m. Contact Pastor Duc ducphamboston2015@gmail.com.

Serving the church will be greeter Patrick Leonard and reader, Ellen Leonard. Pas-

tor David Choi will preach his sermon, "How Can I Believe?" (John 3: 11-12).

If you like contemporary worship on Sunday, join the Praise Worship at 12:30 to 2 p.m. including a Bible class. Contact wolla.dave@gmail. com for directions.

Looking for in-depth Bible discussions? Join the Thursday Bible Class at 7 p.m.

Have fun learning the Bible.

The church office is open from 10:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Fri-

RELIGION

Quincy Point Congregational

Sunday, March 3 is Transfiguration Sunday.

The public is welcome to attend worship at Quincy Point Congregational Church, 444 Washington St., Quincy, with Rev. Kimberly Murphy at 10 a.m. It is also Stewardship Sunday; remember your Stewardship cards

Bus service is available on Sundays from 1000 Southern Artery. The church is accessible to all with designated accessible parking and an elevator, just enter via the Abbey Road side of the building.

After worship there is fellowship, coffee and light refreshments in the Social Hall. While there, visit the Big Blue Q table to sign the birthday and thinking of you cards. There is also more information about what is happening at the church or visit https://www.quincy-pointcong.org/ or check us on Facebook (@QPCCoffice), or Twitter (@quincy-pointcong)

The church will be hold a Mardi Gras Celebration on Saturday, March 2 featuring a church supper and the Bluegrass Gospel Music sounds of Southern Rail on March 2. Doors will open at 5:30 p.m. for ticket holders who want early seating. Dinner is at 6 p.m. and the concert starts at 7 p.m.

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For more information call 617-472-0824 or visit www. FirstBaptistChurchOfWollaston.org for updates and activities.

All areas of the church are easily handicap accessible.

Bible Trivia: What is the meaning of Gospel?

Gospel means "Good News." The 4 Gospels are Matthew, Mark, Luke and John. The story of JESUS' birth, infancy, teaching, death and resurrection.

Wollaston Congregational

Wollaston Congregational Church, 48 Winthrop Ave., Quincy, announces the following activities during March. The public is welcome.

• Tuesday, March 5 at 6 p.m. – Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper - a time of feasting and enjoying good company before the "fast" of Lent. Eat pancakes and last year's palms will be burned to make ashes for Ash Wednesday. Donations will be gratefully received.

• Wednesday, March 6, meet Rev. Liz and Pr. Alissa

Oleson at the North Quincy T station, for "Ashes to Go" from 7 to 8:30 am. Ash Wednesday worship and imposition of ashes at Quincy Point Congregational Church, 444 Washington St., Quincy, at 6:30 p.m.

• Saturday, March 16 at 6 p.m. - Boiled dinner and The Kenny Academy Irish Dancers. Celebrate St. Patrick's Day with dinner and entertainment. Adults \$10, families \$30. Children 8 and under free. Reserve by calling 617-773-7432.

Houghs Neck Congregational

The Sunday morning Communion service of worship at the Houghs Neck Congregational Church, 310 Manet Ave. starts at 10 a.m.

Jimmy Rheault and Jovanika Edouard will ring the bell. Liturgist Maureen Flores will welcome and call to worship.

Pastor Stephen Vandergrift will lead the service and preach his sermon. The choir will sing under the direction of minister of music Steve Reed. Nancy Jacobs, Shirley Pearson, Jeff Craig and Ralph Jacobs will serve for the Diaconate. A fellowship coffee hour follows the service hosted by Nancy Jacobs.

Monday the Church council will meet at 7 p.m. in the Gordon Room.

Yoga with Amy Ross will meet Thursday at 7 p.m. and on Saturday at 10 a.m. in Fellowship Hall. Bring a mat, water and \$5.

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Confessions
Wed. 8:30 - 9:00 AM
Sat. 2:30 - 3:30 PM
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Saint Ann's Church 757 Hancock St., Wollaston 617-479-5400

Mass Schedule:
Sat. 4:00 PM / Sun. 9, 11 AM
Daily Mass:
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Confessions: Saturday 3-3:30PM

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Quincy Religion Directory

SERVICES & ACTIVITIES

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386 Hancock St., North Quincy, MA 02171

(617) 328-8666 Sunday Masses 4 pm (Saturday) 7:30 &10:00 am and 6:00 pm

Weekday Masses
Monday - Friday 7 am
Monday & Saturday 9 am
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Confessions Sat. 3-3:45pm in Saint Joseph Oratory

St. Joseph's Church 550 Washington Street Quincy, MA 02169 · 617-472-6321

SUNDAY MASSES: 4 p.m. (On Saturday) 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Weekday Masses: Mon., Tues., & Thurs. 9a.m.

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Rev. Martin Dzengeleski-Pastor Photie: 617-479-9200 smal: holytrinityquincyma@gmail.com vssr: www.holytrinityquincy.com

Congregational

HOUGH'S NECK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

310 Manet Avenue 617-479-8778 www.hncong.org

Sunday Communion Worship Service at 10 a.m.

Pastor Stephen Vandergrift will lead the service and preach his sermon All are welcome to attend

BETHANY
CONGREGATIONAL
CHURCH

Spear & Coddington Streets Quincy Center, 617-479-7300 www.bethanycongchurch.org

Sunday Communion Worship Service at 9:30AM

Rev. Patrick McCorkle will be preaching his sermon "God is..."

ALL ARE WELCOME!

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Church is handicap accessible



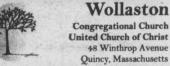
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444 Washington St. (617) 773-6424 www.quincypointcong.org Sunday Worship and Sunday School at 10 am

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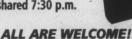
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65 Newbury Ave., N. Quincy
Worship & Children's
Church 10AM
Pastor Mike Fehan
617-847-4444
Mid-week studies & youth group
mjfehan@gmail.com

OBITUARIES

Franklin A. Langille, Jr.

A funeral Mass for Franklin A. "Frank" "Tiny" Langille, Jr., of North Quincy, was celebrated Wednesday in Sacred Heart Church, Quincy.

Mr. Langille died Feb. 22.

The beloved husband of 56 years to Frances (Chetwynd) Langille of North Quincy. Loving father of Franklin A. Langille III (Chip) and his companion Roxane Renken of North Quincy and the late infant daughter Patricia Ann Langille. Dear brother of Ruth Casey of Ohio and Priscilla Langille of Quincy. He is also survived by several brothers and sisters in law and many nieces and nephews.

Mr. Langille worked as a machinist for many years and retired from Pneumatic Scale. He was a past grand knight and past faithful navigator at Knights of Columbus North Quincy Council 2259. Also a member of The Forth Degree. Active in Pack 27 Cub Scouts and Troop 27 Boy Scouts for many years.

Mr. Langille had a passion for golf and was a member at the Presidents Golf Club; he also enjoyed ten pin bowling and won a state champion-ship. Mr. Langille enjoyed playing cards at the senior center in Quincy. He was a passionate Celtics fan. Both he and his wife Fran were foster parents for 24 years, helping so many children in



FRANKLIN A. LANGILLE, JR.

their care. He loved to travel, especially to Myrtle Beach, where he and Fran would spend their winters.

After his retirement, Mr. Langille began delivering the Patriot Ledger, a job he truly loved. He would spend many hours just talking to the people he would meet along the way. He also volunteered his time at the Interfaith food pantry in Quincy. He made it a point never to miss an episode of The Phantom Gourmet. Mr. Langille was a fun loving, devoted family man who will be sadly missed.

Interment at Cedar Grove Cemetery, Boston.

Funeral arrangements were made by Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to Interfaith Social Services, Food Pantry, 105 Adams St., Quincy, MA 02169.

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Funeral services Angelo Pappas, 84, of Taunton, formerly of Quincy, were held Tuesday in the Annunciation Greek Orthodox Church, Brockton.

Mr. Pappas died Feb. 21 at home under the care of his family.

He was the husband of Angeliki (Pappas) Pappas. Born in Plaka, Greece, a son of the late Stavros and Dimitra (Gizelis) Pappas, he was raised and educated in Northern Epirus, Greece, and came to the U.S. at the age of 21.

Mr. Pappas was a resident of Quincy for many years prior to living in Taunton for the past 15 years. He was an owner and chef of Acropolis restaurant in Quincy, which he operated for 20 years.

A devoted husband and father, he enjoyed countless memories spent with his wife, children, grandchildren and great grandchild. A member of the Northern Epirus Society of Boston, Mr. Pappas was active in fighting for human rights of Greek citizens in Albania. He enjoyed listening to epirotika music and telling those close to him the stories of how they became who they are as a family.



ANGELO PAPPAS

In addition to his wife Angeliki, he is survived by his children; Stavros Pappas of Taunton, Dimitra Georgoulopoulos and her husband John of Norwood, Athena Dedes wife of the late Vasilios Dedes of Raynham and Irene Pappas Saxonis, Dean Saxonis of Berkley; his siblings, Aastasia, late Garifalia, Angeliki, Stamato, and Vasiliki; his grandchildren, George Georgoulopoulos, Stavros Georgoulopoulos and Dimitri Georgoulopoulos, Andreanna Saxonis, Diana Dedes, Alexandra Dedes, Angeliki Pappas, Nikos Pappas and Eva Pappas; a great granddaughter, Danika, as well as many nieces and nephews.

Interment in South Easton Cemetery, Easton.

Funeral arrangements were made by Sheehan Funeral Home & Cremation Services, Stoughton.

Eugenia A. Seoane, 92

A funeral Mass for Eugenia Assunta "Bella" (Faiella) Seoane, age 92, of Weymouth, formerly of Quincy, was celebrated Tuesday in St. John the Baptist Church, Quincy.

Mrs. Seoane died peacefully Feb. 20 at the Sunrise of Braintree, surrounded by her loving family.

She was born in Quincy to the late Aristide and Assunta "Susie" (Sforza) Faiella. Raised in Quincy, she was a graduate of Quincy High School, Class of 1943. Mrs. Seoane had lived in Weymouth for 62 years, previously in Quincy. She and her late husband, Luis, enjoyed winters in Del Ray Beach, Fla., for 21 years.

For most of her life, she was employed in the accounting industry as a bookkeeper. She proudly worked for over 20 years with her sons at the Seoane Garden Center in Abington where she made many friendships and recently retired at the age of 89. She had also worked as a bookkeeper for many years at the South Shore Hospital. As a young woman, she had worked at the former Raytheon Company in Quincy.

Mrs. Seoane and her husband enjoyed traveling, socializing and playing cards with an endearing group of couples and friends. Together they participated in parades with their antique 1929 Ford Model A.

She was a volunteer and member of the bowling league at St. Francis Xavier Church in Weymouth for many years. She was talented at crocheting and made 400 teddy bears which were donated to children's cancer hospitals in Florida and Massachusetts.

Most of all, Mrs. Seoane was dedicated to her



EUGENIA A. SEOANE

family and especially to her grandchildren and great grandchildren. Technology allowed her to communicate and participate in all their many activities.

Beloved wife for sixtynine years of the late Luis Fabio Seoane, who recently died on June 10, 2018. Devoted mother of Luis A. Seoane and his wife Jane S. (Hubbell) Seoane of Marshfield, Susan Seoane Blair and her husband Ron A. Blair of Arvada, CO, David G. Seoane and his wife Susan (Meagher) Seoane of Norwell.

Loving grandmother of Jenna Seoane of Denver. CO, Kendra Seoane of Boulder, CO, Corey Blair of Arvada, CO, Emily Rose Blair and her fiancé Kyle Hill of Gunnison, CO, Michael and David Seoane both of Norwell. Cherished great grandmother of Aluxzander Blair of Arvada, CO and Landon Ash Hill of Gunnison, CO. Dear sister of the late Louis N. Faiella. She is survived by many nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Interment at Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the charity of your choice.

Olga L. Conti, 87

A funeral Mass for Olga L. (Spinelli) Conti, age 87, of Quincy, formerly of Dorchester, was celebrated Wednesday in St. John the Baptist Church, Quincy.

Mrs. Conti died peacefully Feb. 22 at the John Adams HealthCare Center in Quincy.

She was born in Boston to the late James and Maria (Scadalupo) Spinelli, where she was raised and educated. She had lived in Quincy for thirty years, previously in

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OLGA L. CONTI

Dorchester for most of her life. She had worked at the former Blue Ribbon Laundry in Dorchester for fifty years.

Mrs. Conti was a loyal person who enjoyed spending time with family and friends.

Beloved wife of the late Charles J. Conti. One of seven siblings, Olga was the devoted sister of Virginia Costello of Quincy, James Spinelli and his wife Claire of New Jersey and pre-deceased by Guy Spinelli, Anne Marie Morse, Dorothy Juliano and Daniel Spinelli. She is also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Interment at Massachusetts National Cemetery,
Bourne.

Funeral arrangements were made by the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy.

Memorial donations may be made to the Patient Activities Fund, John Adams HealthCare Center, 211 C Franklin St., Quincy, MA Jo 02169.

John F. Mahoney, Jr.

A Mass of Intention for John F. Mahoney, Jr., of Quincy will be celebrated at 9 a.m. Thursday in St. Mary's Church, Quincy.

Mr. Mahoney died Feb.

He was the son of the late Marjorie (Connelly) Mahoney and John F. Mahoney, Sr. Father of Deborah L. (Mahoney) Olsen and her husband Philip of Dorchester and Cara D. (Mahoney) Snyder and her husband Michael of Quincy. He is also survived by six grandchilders

Brother of Richard J. Mahoney and his wife Maureen of Weymouth, Joanne C. Flaherty and her husband John of Braintree and Mau-



JOHN F. MAHONEY, JR.

reen A. Mahoney of Marshfield. Cousin of Judy Hickey and her husband James of Braintree,

Funeral arrangements were made by the Hamel-Lydon Chapel, 650 Hancock St., Quincy.



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Ann Jensen, 94

A celebration of the life of Ann Jensen, 94, of Quincy, will be held Monday, March 4, at 11 a.m. in Quincy Point Congregational Church on what would have been her 95th birthday.

Mrs. Jensen died Feb. 21 at the John Adams Healthcare Facility following a long illness.

Raised in Quincy Point, she was always interested in Quincy events and news. Mrs. Jensen worked as a bookkeeper for Howard Johnson's and later for South Shore Buick. She was very involved in her church and proudly recalled working many "church suppers" to raise funds for the "new" location for the Quincy Congregational Church at 444 Washington St. She also enjoyed her



ANN JENSEN

church knitting group, making prayer shawls to provide comfort during illness and baby blankets to celebrate and welcome new arrivals.

Mrs. Jensen was a longtime member and friend of the T.O.P.S. Group of Weymouth and also greatly enjoyed the camaraderie of her weekday morning "Dunkin' Donut" coffee group.

She was the devoted wife of the late Bill Jensen, the love of her life, to whom she was happily married for 52 years. In retirement, they enjoyed traveling, car rides, dining out and tending their beautiful specialty flower garden.

Mrs. Jensen is survived by her cousin, Diane Stahl, of Maryland, good friends, neighbors and her church family. She was the daughter of the late Thomas and Jennie Fleming.

Private interment.

Funeral arrangements were made by Hamel-Lydon Chapel and Cremation Service, 650 Hancock St.,

Memorial donations may be made to Quincy Point Congregational Church, 444 Washington St., Quincy.

Robert E. Huber, 79

Memorial visitation for Robert E. "Hubie" Huber, age 79, formerly of Quincy, was held Feb. 23 in the Hamel-Lydon Chapel, 650 Hancock St., Quincy.

Mr. Huber died Feb. 13 in Lake Wales, Florida.

He was born in Lynn to Robert and Margaret Huber on April 12, 1939. Mr. Huber was a proud member of the 1957 graduating class of North Quincy High School. He enjoyed a lifelong career as a skilled generator mechanic at Mass Generator in Quincy and served his country as a member of the Military Police for the United States Army.

Mr. Huber was involved in many organizations over his life time, including the Squantum Road Runners Club, the Brewery Collect-



ROBERT E. HUBER

ibles Club of America and the American Legion. Mr. Huber was a proud member of the United States Parachute Association for over 40 years.

One of his greatest passions was his love of skydiving. Mr. Huber completed 3,276 parachute jumps since he became involved

in the sport in 1976. He was most proud of being known as "Quincy's Skydiving Santa." For nearly 40 years, Mr. Huber would parachute into Quincy dressed a Santa Claus, along with his skydiving elves. This timehonored tradition brought holiday joy to countless spectators for decades.

Mr. Huber is preceded in death by his parents Robert and Margaret, and his sister Evelyn Clay.

Devoted father to his daughter Donna, son Richard and his wife Barbara, son Brad and his wife Amy. Loving grandfather of Meghan Huber and Emily (Huber) Laurinaitis and great-grandfather to Brady and Everly Laurinaitis.

Elda Fronduto

A funeral Mass for Elda (Federico) Fronduto of North Ouincy was celebrated Monday in Sacred Heart Church, Quincy.

Mrs. Fronduto died Feb. 21.

The beloved wife of 61 years to Pasquale A. Fronduto of North Quincy. Loving mother of Nicholas A. Fronduto and his wife Christine of Tewksbury, Elizabeth E. Fronduto Allen and her husband Richard of Canton, and Teresa Pontbriand and her husband Steven of Bridgewater. Sister of the late Adelia DiCenso and Emilia Federico. Cherished



EDNA FRONDUTO

grandmother of Stephanie, Patrick, Isabella, Rachael and Matthew.

Mrs. Fronduto was born in Sulmona, Italy, and came to the United States when she was 13, settling in Boston's North End. She was a former seamstress at Oxford Drapery in South Boston. She was innovative, teaching herself to cook, knit and make any flower arrangement beautiful. Mrs. Fronduto was very proud of her Italian heritage. The cornerstone of her life was her family; they were all that was truly important to her. She will be sadly missed.

Interment in Holy Cross Cemetery, Malden.

Funeral arrangements were made by Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Quincy.

David F. Bouley, Sr.

Visiting hours for David F. Bouley, Sr., of Braintree, formerly of Quincy, were held Tuesday in McDonald Keohane Funeral Home, South Weymouth.

Mr. Bouley died Feb. 22. He was an insurance agent and co-owner of Reilly and Riley Insurance for over 20 years. He was an avid golfer and golf fan and longtime member of the Quincy Rotary Club. Mr. Bouley will be fondly remembered for his friendli-



DAVID F. BOULEY, SR.

Beloved husband of the late Xanthia "Sandy" Bouley. Devoted father of Jenni-

fer Doherty and her husband Joseph of South Weymouth and the late David F. Bouley, Jr. Cherished Papa of Emily and Sarah Doherty of Weymouth. Loving brother of Mary Zopatti and her late husband Frank of Braintree, Barbara O'Brien and her husband Maurice of Braintree and the late Herbert Bouley. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Memorial donations may be made to Pat Roche Hospice Home, 86 Turkey Hill Lane, Hingham, MA 02043.

Neal O. Flaherty, 59

A funeral Mass for Neal Owen Flaherty, 59, of Braintree, was celebrated Feb. 23 in St. Ann's Church, Quincy.

Mr. Flaherty died Feb. 17 at Lahey Hospital in Burlington, surrounded by his family, following a courageous 11-month battle with pancreatic cancer.

Born in Boston, he was a son of the late Joseph P. Flaherty and Rita P. (Crane). The family later relocated to Quincy, where Neal attended local schools and was a 1978 graduate of Quincy High School. He later at-

tended Northeastern University, and then enlisted in the United States Air Force. where he served his country until retirement several years ago.

Mr. Flaherty was an avid reader, enjoyed watching movies, playing cards and going out for lunch with his friends, and was a fan of Bruce Springsteen.

He was the beloved husband of Tricia (McCarthy) Flaherty; devoted father of Megan Flaherty; loving brother of Brian M. Flaherty of FL, his twin sister Patricia Patten and her husband

Bruce of Quincy, James C. Flaherty of Quincy, and Kathleen M. Chrisom of Hanover. Also survived by many nieces, nephews, and countless close friends.

Interment at Blue Hill Cemetery, Braintree.

Funeral arrangements were made by Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock

Memorial Farber Cancer Institute, P.O. Box 849168, Boston, MA 02284-9168.

Gertrude E. Wellbrock

A funeral Mass for Gertrude E. Wellbrock of Quincy, formerly of Dorchester, will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Thursday in St. Margaret Church of St. Teresa of Calcutta Parish, Boston.

ness and talkative nature.

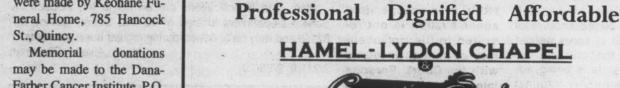
Ms. Wellbrock died Feb.

Beloved daughter of the late Ernest C. and Mary E. (O'Keefe) Wellbrock. Sister of the late Maureen A. Thomas. Cherished "Auntie Goo" to Kathe Thomas of Attleboro, Laurie and her husband Mark Gorham of Weymouth, Kerri and her husband Fred Godfrey of Florida, and Patti and her husband Gregg Doherty of

East Taunton. Great-aunt of

James and Jillian Doherty. Visiting hours were 4 to 8 p.m. Wednesday in Murphy Funeral Home, Dorchester.

Memorial donations may be made to the New England Hemophilia Association, 347 Washington St., Suite 401, Dedham, MA 02026.







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LEGAL NOTICE

CITATION ON PETITION
TO CHANGE NAME
Docket No. NO18C0430CA
Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Norfolk Probate
and Family Court
35 Shawmut Road
Canton, MA 02021

In the Matter of:
Jillian Paige Wilson
A Petition to Change
Name of Adult has been

(781) 830-1200

filed by

Jillian Paige Wilson of

Quincy, MA

requesting that the court enter a Decree changing their name to:

Jillian Paige Porcaro

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Any person may appear for purposes of objecting to the petition by filing an appearance at: Norfolk Probate and Family Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 03/13/2019.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance if you object to this proceeding.

WITNESS, Hon. Patricia Gorman, First Justice of this Court.

Date: February 7, 2019
PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

2/28/19

LEGAL NOTICE

INFORMAL PROBATE
PUBLICATION NOTICE
Docket No. NO19P0081EA
Commonwealth of
Massachusetts
The Trial Court

Probate and Family Court
Norfolk Division
35 Shawmut Road
Canton, MA 02021
(781) 830-1200

Estate of:
Thomas P. Connor
Date of Death:
October 13, 2018

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of:

Petitioner Kerry Reilly of Weymouth, MA.

a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

Kerry Rellly of Weymouth, MA has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

2/28/19

LEGAL NOTICE

CITATION ON
PETITION FOR
FORMAL ADJUDICATION
Docket No. NO19P0160EA
Commonwealth of
Massachusetts

The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Norfolk Probate
and Family Court
35 Shawmut Road
Canton, MA 02021
(781) 830-1200

Estate of: Gertrude M Comeau Date of Death: November 21, 2015

To all interested persons:
A Petition for Late and
Limited Formal Testacy
and/or Appointment has
been filed by: Richard Taylor
of Quincy, MA and Kristen
M. McKenna of Quincy, MA
requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief
as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that: Richard Taylor of Quincy, MA and Kristen M. McKenna of Quincy, MA be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve Without Surety on the bond in an unsupervised administration.

IMPORTANT NOTICE You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 A.M. on the return day of 03/13/2019. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, ac-

further notice to you.

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ADMINISTRATION UNDER

THE MASSACHUSETTS

UNIFORM PROBATE

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tion may be taken without

A Personal Representative appointed under the **MUPC** in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

WITNESS, Hon. Patricia Gorman, First Justice of this Court.

Date: February 6, 2019
PATRICK W. McDERMOTT
Register of Probate

2/28/19



OBITUARIES

Hector M. Beauchamp, 88

A funeral Mass for Hector M. "Beau" Beauchamp, age 88, of Lakeville, formerly of Savin Hill, Dorchester, and North Quincy, will be celebrated Thursday at 10:30 a.m. in St. Ann's Church, Quincy.

Mr. Beauchamp died peacefully at home surrounded by his family on Sunday.

Loving husband to the late Josephine R. (Colantuono-Cavanagh) and former husband to the late Barbara J. (Freear). He was the loving father of Paul J. Beauchamp, world traveler, William S. Cavanagh of Ashland, Stephen J Cavanagh and wife Christine of Lakeville, Thomas A, Cavanagh and wife Cindy of Wollaston, Denise Barbuto and husband Frank of Lakeville, Peter D. Beauchamp and wife Erica of South Carolina, and the late Joan Cavanagh. He was the brother of James Beauchamp of North Carolina and the late Edgar Beauchamp. He was a loving "Papa, Grandpa and Grampy" to each of his 15 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Mr. Beauchamp served in



HECTOR M. BEAUCHAMP

the Naval Reserves and was an Air Force veteran serving during the Korean Conflict. He was a retiree of the former New England Telephone Company. Mr. Beauchamp took pride in the fact he outlived all the males in his family and treasured his weekly poker game with his close circle of friends.

Visiting hours were 4 to 8 p.m. Wednesday in Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Quincy. A celebration of life service will be held there at 9:30 a.m. Thursday.

Interment at Forest Hills Cemetery, Boston.

Memorial donations may be made to the Joan Cavanagh Memorial Scholarship Fund, mailed to Eastern Bank, 45 Main St., Lakeville, MA 02347.

Mite Box Thrift Shop

The Mite Box Thrift Shop is located at St. Chrysostom's Church, 1 Linden St., Wollaston and is open Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays from 10 a.m. through 4 p.m. The shop is also open the

first Saturday of each month.

CASE NO. Z19-7

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the *QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE* as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an Open Public Hearing on Tuesday, March 12, 2019 at 7:15 PM in the First Floor Meeting Room, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169, on the application of Mai Phung for a Variance to subdivide the lot into 2 lots and construct a 2-family on the newly created lot in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 4.0 (dimensional requirements) on the premises numbered 62 BILLINGS STREET, QUINCY.

Plans and Specifications are on file at the Inspectional Service Department located at 55 Sea Street, Quincy, MA 02169 and may be reviewed during regular business hours.

Martin Aikens, Chairman

2/21/19, 2/28/19

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS
CASE NO. Z19-8

Pursuant to the provisions of TITLE 17 of the *QUINCY MUNICIPAL CODE* as amended, the Quincy Zoning Board of Appeals will hold an **Open Public Hearing** on **Tuesday, March 12, 2019 at 7:15 PM** in the **First Floor Meeting Room, Quincy City Hall, 1305** Hancock Street, Quincy, MA 02169, on the application of Hi Thai for a Variance to demolish the existing garage and construct a two family residence in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 9.2.2 (board of appeals) and Chapter 4.1.1 (dimensional requirements) on the premises numbered 213 NORFOLK STREET, QUINCY.

Plans and Specifications are on file at the Inspectional Service Department located at 55 Sea Street, Quincy, MA 02169 and may be reviewed during regular business hours. Martin Aikens, Chairman

2/21/19, 2/28/19

More news & obituaries online at: thequincysun.com

Kathleen Ridge, 74

A celebration of life service for Kathleen "Sandy" (Gillis) Ridge, 74, of North Quincy, will be held at 11 a.m. Thursday in Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Quincy.

Mrs. Ridge died Feb. 23 after a brief illness.

The beloved wife of the late John Ridge. Loving mother of Stephen Ridge of Quincy, Cynthia Donovan of Pawtucket, RI, stepmother to John Ridge of Indiana and grandmother to Bradley and Nicole Ridge

of Indiana. Sister of Doris Dowd of Quincy, Larry Gillis of Milton, Margie Gillis of Quincy, Jimmy Gillis of Dorchester, Peter Gillis of Boston, Sally Hutchings of Quincy and the late Mary and John Gillis and Rose Liberty. She is also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Visiting hours are 9 to 11 a.m. Thursday in the funeral home.

Interment at Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

A Job Well Done By QUINCY POLICE LT. DAN MINTON

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open. As the front door remained open, the male continued upelling obscenities from the hallway, calling the officers A "F!@@#\$%."

As the officers walked towards their cruisers, the male of continued shouting loudly from the door causing a disturbance to the peace and quiet of the residential neighborhood at 2:30 a.m. Several lights that were on in the houses in the area now and residents were looking out their windows at the male causing a scene.

After a few moments of shouting, he slammed the door and went back inside his home. As the officers began to drive away, the male came back outside and asked to speak with the officers. He said that his girlfriend wanted to talk to the officers. When asked what she wanted, the male said "She wants to talk to you because I'm abusing her." He determined the said, "Let's do this," implying he was expecting to be arrested.

Officer Reilly met with the female again and she said that her boyfriend was not abusive but that he was just aggressive and drunk and she wanted help in calming him down. She then began crying and said she was from western Massachusetts and she didn't have anyone else to turn to in the Quincy area.

As the officers were about to leave after calming the female, the male, standing on the front porch threatened, "I want to step into a cell with you and beat the sh#\$ out of you." As the officers returned to their cruisers, the screaming started up again. The officers approached the male and female, who were now on the porch. She was crying agair and appeared shaken up as if something just happened. The male said, "You don't need to talk to her" as he directed obscenities towards the officers.

Officer Reilly again spoke with the female, who said her boyfriend/male did not touch her and no crime occurred she said she was just upset. The male, upon hearing this,

Shouted, "There you go - now leave!" The female became upset at the way her boyfriend/male was talking to the officers and she asked him to calm down, that the officers were just doing their job.

The male became irate and then told her to go upstairs. She fell to her knees and started crying hysterically. At this point, the officers placed the 24-year-old male under arrest for disturbing the peace and iInterfering with a police officer. Nice Work! (and patience!)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

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Plans and Specifications are on file at the Inspectional Service Department located at 55 Sea Street, Quincy, MA 02169 and may be reviewed during regular business hours.

Martin Aikens, Chairman

2/21/19, 2/28/19

Lighthouse Fellowship **Announces March Activities**

Lighthouse Fellowship at 73 Newbury Ave., North Quincy meets each Sunday for worship and teaching at 10 a.m.

The worship band leads singing with a blend of contemporary songs and hymns and Pastor Mike Fehan continues a sermon series in the Gospel of Mark. On Sunday, March 3, the congregation will hold their annual meeting after sharing lunch together. This will be a time to review the ways God has provided and blessed the church in the past year and to set goals for the coming

On Sunday, March 10th, WOW (Women of the Word) will gather after the service for their monthly time of sharing and study. After lunch Caroline Maringa will tell about her work at the Oasis of Peace Orphanage in Embu, Kenya where 46 orphans are cared for and educated. This wonderful work is led by Virginia Burbank who started it after 32 years of teaching English at Cohasset High. Caroline will share about the children's progress and the traumatic situations they have been rescued from. All women are welcome to

Lighthouse offers Bible studies weekly. Each Sunday morning at 9 a.m., Steve Emery leads the adult Bible class before the service. A men's group and the opento-all Bible study meet on alternate Tuesday evenings. On March 5 and 19 all are welcome at the study held in the parsonage next to the church. The study on March 5 will include dinner. On March 12 and 26 the men will enjoy some pizza and a DVD-guided study together. The teaching and small group discussions are always an encouragement. Men of all ages are welcome to join in.

A women's group meets Tuesday mornings at 9:45 in Squantum for some coffee and lively discussion. Using a Life Guide study called Good and Evil they are exploring some tough issues and why bad things happen in God's world. Another group meets in Braintree on Thursday evenings. Anyone interested can learn more details by calling 617-406-

The youth meet every other Friday evening for sports, fun, a lesson and, of course, food. The next get-

togethers are on March 8 and 22 at the church with Pastor Mike, Kyera Bryant and Rick McGue leading the charge.

Lighthouse Fellowship has also planned two mission experiences for 2019. These opportunities are wonderful ways to serve others, but they also break us out of our comfort zone. Those who have gone on previous trips have also developed a new connection with team members because of the shared experience and the new perspectives

One group will participate with Habitat for Hu-Homebuilding manity's Blitz in North Carolina in May, building a home in one week for a low-income family. In July, another team will serve refugees in Athens, Greece. It is a cause for praise that in the past year God has enabled Lighthouse once again to disburse 10% of its unrestricted income to support of Christian mission endeavors around the world, plus additional funds that members raised to send mission teams and aid to Texas, Greece and Syria.

Pedestrian In Critical Condition Following Crash

By SCOTT JACKSON

A 59-year-old Quincy woman was in critical condition Tuesday morning after she was struck by a vehicle in Quincy Center Monday night.

Police were called to the intersection of Burgin Parkway and Granite Street at 7:39 p.m. Monday on several reports of a motor vehicle crash involving a pedestrian. Emergency personnel who arrived on scene - including police, fire and EMTs – moments after the

two vehicles involved in a head-on collision and a pedestrian who was struck prior to the crash, police said. The drivers of both vehicles remained on scene; they had not been identified as of

The pedestrian, 59-year-old Quincy woman, was rushed by Brewster Ambulance to Boston Medical Center where she remained in critical condition as of Tuesday morning.

Police on Tuesday said the woman had been attempting to cross Burgin First responders located Parkway when she was

investigation appears to show that both vehicles were travelling on Burgin Parkway with a green signal. The pedestrian stepped off the sidewalk and attempted to cross Burgin Parkway when she was struck," police said in a

The crash remained under investigation by the department's Collision Reconstruction Unit as of Tuesday morning. Anyone with information on the crash was asked to call 617-745-5824.

City Cleaning Veterans Lots At Cemeteries

Quincy Veterans Services Department will begin to clean up the veterans lots at Mount Wollaston and Pine Hill cemeteries beginning March 15.

"During this time we will be removing all Christmas decorations and holiday plants. Plus anything that becomes unsightly and anything that interferes with the cemetery operations such as mowing and cleaning up in anticipation of our memorial

day ceremony," said George Bouchard, Graves Registration Officer for Quincy Veterans Services.

"Temporary pots of natural flowers may be placed throughout the year but will be removed when their presence interferes with grounds maintenance. There's no inground planting allowed at the foot markers in the veterans' lot. Permanent planting such as plastic plants or flowers, statues, vigil lights,

wind chimes, planting urns and breakable objects are not permitted at any time," Bouchard said.

"This is the final resting place for our local veterans and we ask all of you to please cooperate with us in keeping it clean and beautiful when you pay your respect to your loved one. Thank you for your cooperation in this manner," Bouchard added.

Signs Approved For New Quincy Center Businesses

By TOM GORMAN

The Quincy Historical Commission gave five new businesses the green light to prominently display their exterior signs on Quincy Center buildings.

During five separate hearings on Monday, the commission approved new signage on four buildings. The commission had the final say on the signs since the buildings are in the historic district of

10 Granite St. prompted the need for new signage.

According to Sean Kennealy, President of Key Realty of Quincy whose company is leasing out the building, Stop & Shop and Anodyne companies have moved in. They are replacing SAR Engineers that had occupied most of the facility that has since moved to

Stop & Shop, operating under Retail Business Services, will occupy the two tops floors of the four-story building where it will employ 260 workers. Anodyne, a medical staffing agency that has been in the city for some 35 years, has relocated its operation to the second floor.

Kennealy is also moving his realty company – a fixture for 45 years in Quincy - in the building, after purchasing the first floor. A law firm on the first floor moved out and

a massage therapist there will leave once their lease expires next year.

The existing SAR letters atop the building and over the front entrance will be replaced by Retail Business Services. The word "Services" will be placed under "Retail Business." At the left side of the words will be the company's logo in the shape of an abstract "R" of three different shades of green.

At the top of the build-New tenants moving into ing, the signage will measure 218-1/2 inches across, and the logo 36-inches high. The capital letters of "Retail Business Services" measure 15-1/2 inches tall and the small letters measure 11-1/4- inches

Over the front entrance, the sign will be 145-5/8 inches across with a 24-inch high logo. The capital lettering measure 10-1/4 inches high and the small letters will be 7-1/2 inches tall.

In addition, over the front entrance, the Anodyne company will have its sign just beneath Retail Business Ser-

The Anodyne lettering is 18-inches high and is accompanied at the left with its diamond shaped logo measuring 24-inches tall. There will be an aluminum divider line between the Retail Business Services and the Anodyne sign and another under the Anodyne lettering.

All the aluminum letters and logos are standalone and

Kennealy's Key Realty sign will be placed above the first floor. It will measure 104-3/8 inches across and 49-inches high. The "KEY" letters are 22-inches tall and "REALTY," located beneath, is 14-1/2 inches talk. "Commercial Brokerage & Advisory Services" will be placed at the bottom of the block and measure 6-inches tall. The company's logo - an image of a white key in a blue box will be next to the "KEY"

The city's Deputy Planning Director Robert Stevens told the commission that Kennealy's original sign proposal had to be reworked.

"It had some issues due to multiple tenants moving into the building," Stevens said. "It was beyond what zoning

The planning board reviewed and approved Kennealy's change including reducing the size of the Retail Business Services logo from 42 inches to 36 inches.

"This fits," said Stevens of the revision.

Kennealy said he had the signs designed to conform with other signs in Quincy Center such as at 1400 Hancock St. and at Presidents "It's more uniform," he

Commission Chairman Anthony Ricci amended the application to include a requirement that any other proposed signage at the building must come before the com-

Stevens said the new tenants are "healthy for the building and for Quincy Cen-

Crush Pizza is moving into the former Jimmy John's location at Presidents Place, proposed Crush Pizza signs will be the same size as Jimmy John's over the first floor exterior. There will no window signage.

The word "CRUSH" will be white capital letters in a red oblong with a green stem at the left. It will measure 84 inches long by 32 inches high.

"PIZZA" will be 81 inches long by 18 inches high and will be standalone capital block brushed aluminum finish letters. The signs are internally lit.

Owner Tony Naser said he is expanding his familyowned business into Quincy. He has had a location on State Street in downtown Boston for the past three years.

"This will be our second restaurant," he said. "We plan to open in a month-and-a-

Ireland Beauty spa

opening a second location in the new Galvin Building at 2 Cliveden St. in the Parkingway. The 18-inch high by 12-foot long black matte aluminum sign will have 8-inch high silver vinyl lettering mounted to the brick façade. There will be signs in some of the 45-inch wide by 84inch tall windows. The signs will feature a 20-inch circular logo with 3-inch silver graph-

Representative Randy Hard said owner, Christine Doody, is expanding her business to Quincy Center. She currently has a location on West Squantum Street.

Purefections Chocolate owners Christina Bartkus and Lisa Trifone are moving their Franklin Street store to a new location at 1348 Hancock St., the former Subway shop. The existing 2-foot high by 24foot long black sign over the front entrance will feature 12-inch high gold capital letters spelling out "PUREFEC-TIONS CHOCOLATE." The store is expected to open next

In other matters, Ricci informed the commission that an application has been submitted to the community preservation commission seeking a \$40,000 grant to create an updated searchable list of the city's historic buildings. The new list would include information about the specific

buildings and be available on websites and at the Thomas Crane Library.

Ricci explained that First Parish Church Historical Program Director Bob Damon is preparing a report for Mayor Thomas Koch outlining the historic resources of the city's heritage and its historic districts. Damon is also cataloguing the city's historical buildings.

Ricci noted that the last survey of the city's historic buildings was conducted in 1986 and had about 600 buildings listed. In 2009 another survey was conducted including downtown buildings when the planning department instituted the downtown historic district.

"So, we have the original list and we have the addendum list," he said.

Ricci said the documents do not include which buildings are on the National Historic Register or which are city owned. He said creating an updated list is needed to include all current and specific information about each building.

"I think it would be helpful for the community as a whole and for us," Ricci said.

The commission reorganized with Ricci reelected as chairman and Edward Fitzgerald reelected as vice chairman.

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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions forward, backward, up, down and diagonally

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Curtains Eclipse Fence Fog

Hedge Mask Rain Tall people

Trees **Trucks** Walls

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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



moved. 5. Headlight is bigger. 6. Woman's skirt is longer Differences: 1 Mechanic's shirt is different. 2 Boy is frowning. 3. Woman's earning is different. 4. Sign on gas pump has

test by Fifi

1. MUSIC: What is the full name of former Beatles member Paul McCartney? 2. FOOD & DRINK: What is marzipan? 3. CHEMISTRY: Who is

credited with discovering the element oxygen? 4. ANATOMY: What purpose does bile serve in the

human body? 5. GENERAL KNOWL-EDGE: Who was the first woman to appear on the

cover of Playboy magazine? 6. HISTORY: The Contras guerrilla movement was associated with which

7. GEOGRAPHY: The island of Sardinia is a region Thunderdome" of which country?

8. LANGUAGE: does the Latin abbreviation Synd., Inc. "cv" or "curriculum vitae"

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mean in English?

9. LITERATURE: Which movie was made from the science-fiction short story called "The Sentinel" by Arthur C. Clarke?

10. MOVIES: In which post-apocalyptic 1980s movie did the singer Tina Turner appear?

Answers

1. James Paul McCartney 2. A confection made of honey or sugar and almond meal

3. Joseph Priestley 4. Bile breaks down fat and

increases its absorption. 5. Marilyn Monroe

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ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Take time from your busy schedule to check out what's going on around you. You might find that someone has been secretly trying to pull the wool over those beautiful Sheep's eyes.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Once again, the Bovine's boldness pays off in uncovering the source of a disturbing workplace situation. Your personal life calls for patience, as a certain matter plays itself out.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Forget about going all out to impress someone in your personal life. Just being yourself is all that matters. A workplace decision will need more time. Don't rush into it. CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Some supersensitive Crabs might take offense at what they perceive as a slight. But a closer look points to a simple misunderstanding. The weekend holds a welcome surprise.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Sure, you can roar your head off over someone's failure to keep a promise. But the wiser course would be to ask why it happened. Be prepared for an answer that might well surprise you.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) A developing relationship needs time to find its direction. So please be patient and resist pushing things along. A recently cooled-down workplace situation could heat up again.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Congratulations. Your well-thought-out proposal seems to be working.

Someone who hasn't agreed with you on most things in the past could turn out to be one of your major supporters. SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Things seem to be going well. However, you can still expect criticism -- some of it pretty heavy. But as long as you can back up your position, you'll be able to rise above it.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Getting together with people who care for you is a great way to get that ego boost you might feel you need at this time. Things start to look brighter by week's end.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) You should be able to continue with your plans once you get past those temporary delays. Surprise, surprise. An offer to help comes from a most unlikely source.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Prioritizing your tasks is important this week because of all those demands you have to deal with. The pressure eases in time for you to enjoy the weekend.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Save your energy and stay focused on what has to be done, despite all those distractions you're likely to face. You should see some evidence of real progress by week's end.

BORN THIS WEEK: You are a generous, giving person who is always ready, willing and more than able to help others in need.

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CryptoQuip

This is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Solution is accomplished by trial and erro

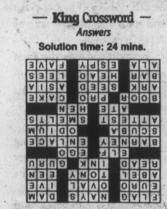
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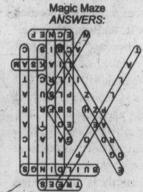
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CryptoQuip

check-in? would you call it a chicken getting their hotel rooms, When some hens are initially

by Tony Rizzo

HOLLYWOOD -- The success of Tom Cruise's "Mission Impossible: Fallout," which grossed nearly \$800 million, has prompted Paramount Pictures to announce there will be a seventh and eighth film in the series. As soon as Cruise finishes "Top Gun Maverick," due for a July 2020 release, he'll film both "Mission Impossible" films at age 58 and 59. They'll be released in July 2021 and August 2022, respectively.

And before you think that Tom Cruise must be the oldest action superstar, take a look at 66-year-old Liam Neeson's slate of upcoming films, beyond his recently released "Cold Pursuit." He's joining Chris Hemsworth in "Men In Black: International," arriving June 14; the crime thriller "Honest Thief," with Kate Walsh; and the romance drama, "Normal People."

Hemsworth jumps from "Men In Black: International" right into the Netflix drama "Dhaka," in which he plays a mercenary hired to rescue the kidnapped son of an Indian businessman.

If you thought the alleged child molesting controversy over Michael Jackson ended when he died, guess again. A new four-hour, three-part documentary called "Leaving Neverland" may blow the lid off the scandal. Two boys, who were 7 and 11 at the time and later sued his estate (the case was dismissed), claim, "We felt close to Michael with a kind of love for him and wanted to do whatever it took to please him." They also admit they never thought what they were being asked to do was wrong.

John Travolta is making a film comeback. His last outing as crime boss (John) "Gotti" cost \$10 million and only grossed \$4.3 million. Travolta, now 64, hits screens in the heist thriller "Finding Steve McQueen," Oscar-winner Forest Whitaker, Travis Fimmel and "Mom's" William Fichtner, about a gang planning to steal millions from President Richard Nixon's illegal political slush fund (due March 15). That's quickly followed by "Trading Paint," in which he plays a race driver, with Shania Twain and Michael Madsen (out March 22); the crime thriller "The Poison Rose," with Oscar-winner Morgan Freeman and Brendan Fraser; and the thriller "Moose," in which he's a deranged fan who stalks an action hero and destroys his life. It's based on the true-life experiences of Fred Durst, lead vocalist for rock band Limp Bizkit, who wrote and directs the film.

Charlie Sheen, who had that famous public meltdown, saw his last film, "9/11," with Gina Gershon, gross just \$192,318. His last TV appearances, in "The Goldbergs" (2017) and the Comedy Central series "Typical Rick" (two episodes in 2017), were hardly memorable either. His misfortune is a top topic at Hollywood parties with the revelation, "Hey, they figured out how much drugs Charlie Sheen did when he flipped out ... enough to kill 'Two and a Half Men"!!!

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GO FIGURE! by Linda Thistle The idea of Go Figure is to arrive

at the figures given at the bottom and right-hand columns of the diagram by following the arithmetic signs in the order they are given (that is, from left to right and top to bottom). Use only the numbers below the diagram to complete its blank squares and use each of the nine numbers only once:

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*** GO FIGURE!

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my attic that I remember

using as a child 70 years

ago. They have an arched

back, six turned spindles

and a shaped seat. I re-

member them having a

shiny black finish, but

they are very worn. I'm

thinking of repainting

them, but my son suggests

that doing so might re-

duce their value. Can you

tell me what their value is

and whether repainting

would make them more

A: Repainting or refinish-

ing will lower the value of

a piece of furniture if it is a

valuable antique, made by

a well-known craftsman or

finished with a hand-paint-

ed technique like grain

painting. Your chairs are

not very old; they're prob-

ably from the early 1900s.

They are worth about \$50.

So, in your case, repaint-

ing them might bring them

back to life and raise their

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City, bathing girls, woman,

swimsuit, navy, white, 2

Kitchen, kettle, apple but-

ter, copper, rolled rim, iron

bail handle, 1800s, 11 1/2

Alligator, folk art, wood,

carved, red glass eyes, nail

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1900, 21 x 5 inches, \$610.

Door handle, pock-marked

surface, steel, polished,

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3/4 x 1 3/4 inches, \$80.

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decorative value.

or less valuable?

Antiques & Collecting By Terry and Kim Kovel

Wemyss Ware Pig ---Marks on antiques, especially silver or ceramics, can lead a collector to history and age. However, the mark's information can sometimes be confusing. A date may be the year the pottery business started. A name may be the name of the seller, not the maker. And sometimes, especially with Asian ceramics, recent copies are so accurate even the old mark is reproduced. Wemyss Ware is the name used as a mark by Robert Heron & Son (later called Fife Pottery), which started making creamware in Scotland about 1820. They later used the Weymss mark. During the mid-1800s, European artists were hired. The most famous was Karel Nekola, who stayed for 33 years. In the 1930s, Bovey Pottery of Devon, England, bought the rights to make Wemyss Ware and hired Joseph Nekola Karelson. The pottery by Fife and Bovey is so similar, experts judge the maker by slight color differences. Joseph died in 1952, and very little Wemyss was made in the 1960s and 1970s. But in 1985, Griselda Hill pottery started making it, and they now own the Wemyss Ware trademark.

A ceramic pig that looks like Wemyss sold at a recent Humler and Nolan auction for \$472. It is marked "Plichta, London, England" and "Nekola Pinxt Plichta." Jan Plichta was a pottery and glass wholesaler who worked in London and, by 1916, bought many things from Bovey Pottery. The Latin mark means "Nekola painted design [for] Plichta," evidence the pig was made before 1952. Very early flower-decorated pigs have auctioned for over \$30,000.

www.Kovels.com Q: I recently found two (c) 2019 King Features

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old dining-room chairs in

Here is an interesting math puzzle that isn't as difficult as it appears.

Can you find the lowest number that, when divided by 2, has a remainder of 1; when divided by 3, has a remainder of 2; when divided by 4, has a remainder of 3; and when divided by 5, has a remainder of 4?

* It was 20th-century British actor George Sewell who made the following sage observation: "Fear is the tax that conscience pays to guilt."

* When someone mentions the band ZZ Top, you probably think of a group of musicians with long beards. They don't all have beards, though; the drummer is clean-shaven as a matter of safety (imagine being in the middle of a drum solo and getting a stick caught in a long beard -- ouch!). Interestingly, the unbearded drummer's name is Frank Beard.

* If you're like most people, you've probably never encountered a tziganologist. That is, unless you consort with those who study Hungarian gypsies.

* Those who study such things say that the immortal bard, William Shakespeare, used a grand total of 17,677 words in his works. (That must have been a tedious calculation.) They also say that fully one-tenth of those words had never been used in writing before.

* Unless you were around on April 17, 1964, you may not be aware of the hullabaloo caused by the introduction of the Ford Mustang. In Seattle, a truck driver was so distracted by a display of new Mustangs that he crashed his cement truck through the window of the dealership. In Chicago, so many people were trying to crowd into the cars in a showroom that the dealer had to lock all the vehicle doors. A dealer in New Jersey had only one Mustang, so he auctioned it off. The winner of the auction insisted on sleeping in his new car that night, just to make sure nobody else got it before his check cleared.

Thought for the Day: "Nothing great in the world has been accomplished without passion." -- Georg Wilhelm Friedrich Hegel

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Now here's a tip!

by Jo Ann Derson

* There are good reasons to recaulk your baseboards from time to time. Not only will it give you a clean look, but it will help to stop drafts and block out bugs, which can creep in through the tiniest of cracks.

* "Here's a tip for making a box cake taste like it was made from scratch: Add an extra egg, use melted butter instead of oil and use milk (whole) in place of water. Mix for an extra minute or two, to really aerate the batter. It'll be gorgeous." -- T.H. in New Hampshire * "Hide the cords coming from your wall-mounted television by running them through a length of PVC pipe. It can be painted to match your wall, too! Measure the length you need,

and your hardware store

may be able to cut a piece

for you if you can't find

one the right size. It looks

so much cleaner, and you

can even use double-stick

tape to attach the pipe to

* "Donate extra throw blankets to your local animal shelters. In fact, visit the website of your local shelter and check for a 'wish list' to see if you have anything that can be donated. They are always in need, and so deserving." -- F.I. in Texas * "On weekend trips to our

the wall." -- B.B. in Florida

cabin, we pack a laundry basket for each bedroom. It includes fresh sheets, towels and the clothing for that person. At the end of the weekend, it's easy to 'pack' those items that need to be laundered. The bonus is that they stack nicely in the back of the car, and they're a snap to unpack, too!" --A.H. in North Carolina

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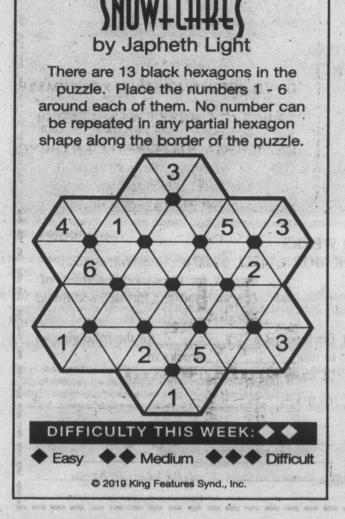
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Students Sharpen Skills In Extended Day Programs

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The club helps classmate Angelina Lin build confidence.

"I am not afraid of standing up in front of an audience and speaking," she states. "To me, it's fun to lead."

The Parker School's writing club is an afterschool program for fourth and fifth grade students. The program focuses on building students' research and synthesizing skills. Students use laptops to plan and produce a research paper of a topic of their choice.

The Merrymount School offers a math drop-in Tuesday through Thursday mornings starting at 7:30. Students can get some extra help with their math homework, particularly those having trouble with concept or solving word problems such as constructed response questions.

"Girls on the Run" is a national non-profit that encourages positive social, emotional, mental, and physical development. This program is offered at the Montclair School and is limited to 10 students. Physical activity is the main part of the program to inspire good fitness and healthy choice habits.

Some students who participated in the program said that it helped them learn about themselves, their friends, and their capabili-

"These girls became my family and we had a lot of fun," stated student Sarah Malushi.

At the end of each threemonth session, the students participate in a Girls on the Run 5K race. This past

December, the students ran with other Greater Boston area teams.

At the Lincoln-Hancock School, a storybook STEM (Science Technology Engineering Math) is offered for grade 2 students who read aloud a story and participate in a STEM activity relating to the theme of the story.

One story was about the properties of liquids and solids. Students were introduced to the concept of polymers and made slime and discussed how it is a plymer.

Snug Harbor's soccer program was held last fall on the newly lined fields behind the school. There were five teams with 13 students each. The program is held Mondays and Wednesdays.

Marshall Clifford

School's coding concepts is an eight-week program for fourth grade students. They started with basic computer coding and programming them moved up to HTML structures to build a website.

The Natures Explorers Club at the Beechwood Knoll School meets each Thursday. There are 12 second and third grade students that check out types of trees, identify bugs and animals in the park, go on scavenger hunts and nature walks.

Also at Beechwood is the needlepoint club where nine, third grade girls meet Thursday afternoons to learn about needlepoint. They create bookmarks by using diagonal stitches and various types and colors of

At the middle school

level, a robotics program the Plate. is offered. The Its FLL -First Lego League – teams worked throughout last fall readying for the Dec. 8 regional competition. There were 75 Quincy middle school students participated.

Point Webster won the Research Award and Central captured the Inspiration Award and earned high robot performance scores. Central's team moved on to the state championship the following week.

The middle schools are now gearing up for the spring competitions.

Other extended day programs at the middle schools include Atlantic's Math-Counts Club and Step Up to

The math program involves sixth graders who meet each Wednesday and form small groups to collaborate on understanding the challenging grade 6 math concepts. The Step Up to the Plate club helps enhance English Language Arts skills.

Broad Meadows' Operation Work Day is a global community service group. Last fall, it hosted a Halloween dance and haunted hallway, raising more than \$1,000 that was donated to local charities.

Point Webster Singers is open to all grades that meet twice weekly before school. The program offers vocal

training and choral repertoire.

The high schools have student councils and a combined choir and band.

In December, North Quincy High School's photography club displayed their photos and digital art during an exhibit to raise money for Boston Children's Hospital. Quincy High School student council hosted spirit week and Halloween events last fall.

Students in all grades are required to participate in 30 hours of community service programs. Some of the extended day programs have community outreach components that can help students attain the requirement.

Dr. Claire McCarthy Joins Dental Associates Of Quincy

Dental Associates of Quincy announces Claire McCarthy of Quincy has joined their professional

A native of Wayland, MA, she earned a B.S. in biology at Georgetown University, and then earned her DMD at Tufts University School of Dental Medicine. While at Tufts, Dr. McCarthy did research on Treacher Collins Syndrome, a genetic craniofacial disorder, and she was awarded the Tufts Alumni Clinical Excellence Award in General Dentistry.

After graduating from dental school, Dr. McCarthy spent a year at Stony Brook University completing a general practice residency. While there, she expanded her knowledge of general dentistry, implant restorations, and emergency den-

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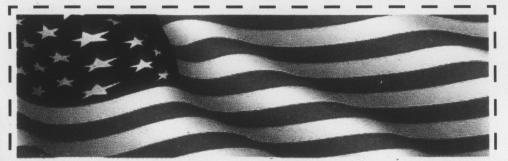
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DR. CLAIRE McCARTHY

tistry. She then returned to her home state of Massachusetts and has been working in private practice ever

Dr. McCarthy is an active member of the Massachusetts Dental Society (MDS) and has served on the Committee on Ethics, Council on Communications, and New Dentist Committee. She was also selected to participate in the MDS Leadership Institute.



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The Sons of the American Legion, Squadron 294, Morrisette American Legion Post in Quincy is still selling engraved honor and memorial bricks for its "Bricks for Veterans" at Flags for Veterans Island, Fort Square, Quincy.

Phase 1 along the walkway to the island's main flag pole is sold out but bricks for PHASE 2 are still available.

PHASE 2 engraved bricks will form a patio in front of the I flower bed located on the Pleasant Street side of the island in Fort Square.

Bricks are available for \$50 each. The bricks can be inscribed with a veteran's name, rank and branch of service. I A sample brick appears above.

This form can be clipped, filled out and mailed to order a brick.

- trades working on the project.
- Interior as well as exterior work continues to take place within the site of the new Nova Residences located at 1500 Hancock
- Beginning on Monday, March 4th, D.F. Pray will have their contractor out at of 3 Cottage Ave and Hancock St. closing the corner off to work on the new water and fire feeds which will be entering the atrium. Follow the pedestrian detour signs in this area. This work is expected to take approximately 2 to 3 weeks.
- Precast sections are expected to start coming into the site in March for the above grade portion of the garage.

(The photo above shows the different stages of constructing the garage footings, wells & supports. There is an excavator in the middle-left center which is excavating soils which is then followed by grading of the soils. Worker's in the middle right are forming for footings while the iron workers are building the rebar cages. Middle left to bottom left show a footing which has been poured and, in the middle, there is an orange pump truck which is pumping cement into one of the garage support walls.)

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Ayers: MBTA Commuters Deserve More Reliable Options

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needed parking spaces are
lost – and the number of displaced commuters continues
to grow.

This places a significant burden on the North Quincy area, which already faces extreme congestion. For a neighborhood with over 30 businesses, 4 schools, a church, and a library, this project will only result in increased daily traffic gridlock and unnecessary headaches for residents. Something must be done.

We have a unique opportunity to provide relief for commuters who are frustrat-

ed by a lack of parking, traffic congestion on the roads (and the Neponset Bridge), and increasingly unreliable service on the Red Line by investing in another option of public transportation. Mitigation funds towards a ferry service from Squantum Point Park into Boston just makes sense — and almost no work would need to be done to prepare the area.

Squantum Point Park has a state-owned pier and dock structure, as well as an under-utilized 800-space parking lot. What's more, the extension of Commander Shea Boulevard is over 80 percent completed, creating easy access from the highway and alleviating traffic concerns for Marina Bay residents.

The city of Quincy has devoted funding to upgrade these structures, and has invested in long-term planning for the area as well – a clear indication that water transportation is a priority.

Over the last three years, Quincy has been able to successfully partner with the town of Winthrop to provide seasonal ferry service out of Squantum Point Park. Ridership numbers increase steadily every year, demon-

strating a need as well as an established ridership base.

This data only supplements studies from organizations like the Pioneer Institute and Boston Harbor Now that claim water transportation may be the most economically responsible and environmentally friendly means of public transit—with Quincy as a prime location for implementation.

At the very least, the recently updated parking lot at Squantum Point Park could provide some parking relief if the MBTA were to implement a shuttle to and from North Quincy Station.

Despite all of this work and compelling data, the MBTA has failed to act. Funding for a ferry service from Squantum Point Park was not part of the mitigation plan presented at the North Quincy public meeting, despite assurances in years past that they would utilize the area. Instead, the MBTA seems content to demand that consumers adjust to their failure, rather than meeting the needs of commuters.

The bottom line is that the MBTA has become increasingly unreliable. Red Line riders will continue to endure signaling delays, maintenance issues, overcrowded platforms, and other frequent problems – all as the MBTA removes 600 parking spaces, while simultaneously unveiling a proposal to increase their ridership fares.

Quincy and South Shore commuters deserve better, and have made their desire for more reliable public transportation options abundantly clear. Now it's time for the MBTA to listen, take advantage of existing infrastructure, and ease the burden placed on our residents and neighborhoods. It's time to fund a ferry service from Squantum Point Park.

Residents Discuss MBTA Fare Hike, Bus Route Proposals

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stituents have raised.
"They want to know where the money is going,"

where the money is going," Ayers said, noting residents also had questions about bus routes and the new fare-collection system.

He said he liked the format for the meeting because it allowed residents to learn more about, and provide feedback on, the item, or items, they care most about.

"They can get an answer and go," Ayers said.

In addition to the proposals residents were asked about during the meeting,

projects are now underway at all five Red Line stations south of Boston. The T is renovating the garages at the Braintree and Quincy Adams stations, is finishing the demolition of the garage at the Quincy Center station, is in the process of renovating Wollaston station, which is expected to re-open this summer, and has begun a mixed-use project at North Quincy that will include 610 apartments and 45,000 square feet of retail space.

The first phase of the North Quincy project began Feb. 17 when the T closed 600 parking spaces on the Hancock Street side of the station. A new garage will be constructed there over the next 18 months; it will include 852 spaces for Red Line riders — equal to the number of spaces previously available on that side of the station — with 700 more for residential and retail use.

Quincy resident Will Isenberg said he wanted to discuss the North Quincy project with T officials during the public meeting.

"I was curious to see discussion of the North Quincy parking situation. It's really going to affect our family," he said. "It's frustrating because the Wollaston T is months from being ready and I don't know where we're going to park."

Jeff Gonneville, the MB-TA's deputy general manager, said the T would work to address concerns residents have raised about the closure of the North Quincy parking spaces.

"We do understand our customers' concerns and frankly their frustrations right now. We are looking to do whatever we can to mitigate any of the impact that

they are going to have by the loss of spaces during this period during the construction," Gonneville said.

He noted residents can park at Wollaston station and then take a shuttle bus to either North Quincy or Quincy Center. The T cut the price for parking at Wollaston station – where 400 spaces are available – from \$5 a day to \$2 when the North Quincy work began. Some 600 spaces remain open at North Quincy, including those on the Newport Avenue side of the facility.

Gonneville said the T would monitor the shuttle and take other steps if needed to mitigate the loss of parking.

"We are going to actively monitor what we're doing and the shuttle that we have in place to ensure obviously we are meeting our customer needs," he said. "We certainly understand some of the frustrations of our customers and we're going to do everything we can do mitigate this the best we possibly can during this process."

